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THE WEATHER.
BRIEF REPORT.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair; light west winds. For San Francisco and vicinity: Fair, with fog in the morning; light northwesterly winds.

Sun rises, 6:38; sunset, 5:44; moon rises 1:16 a. m. Tuesday.

YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature 62 deg.; minimum, 45 deg. Wind 5 a. m., northeast; velocity, 2 miles; 5 p. m., southwest; velocity, 7 miles. At midnight the temperature was 47 deg.; clear.

TODAY—At 2 a. m. the temperature was 46 deg.; clear.

[The complete weather report, including comparative temperatures, will be found on page 8.]

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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Pasadena City Council to proceed to sell bonding and sewer bonds....Hollywood man makes confession of having participated in more than twenty-five burglaries, including that of Colegrove postoffice; he and two other lads arrested....Chinese shoes used by burglars in San Bernardino to throw officers off trail....World's record claimed for catch of longfin tuna at Avalon, Sunset Park and Venice interests growing more harmonious....Gasless breakers in Redondo.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Interstate Commerce Commission orders cancelled all rates via Portland that have not been concurred in by the Northern Pacific. President Baer of Occidental College addresses Stanford students....Washington shingle mills will probably remain closed until April 15....Two boys and a girl confess a number of highway robberies in Tacoma....T. B. Kelley suddenly leaves Reno for California....Husband, near death, sees wife die and is unable to give her any aid....Great Northern will use electricity to operate mountain division trains. Hampton, Heney and Burns to file affidavits Tuesday giving details of immunity contract with Ruef....Engineers' strike in San Francisco lays up ships and throws many out of work. Enrico José orator forced to leave stage by applause of audience who had heard enough.

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BIG LINER LAUNCHING FAILS.

Holland-American Steamer Sticks on Ways and Three Hundred Men Now Guard Her.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BELFAST, Feb. 23.—The attempt made today to launch the Rotterdam, a 24,170-ton steamer of the Holland-American line, proved a failure. The vessel refused to take the water, owing to the tremendous pressure on the ways, which has not been properly greased.

The launching has now been postponed for a fortnight, three hundred men in the meantime being employed to watch the vessel for fear of accident.

CHANGES IN MINISTERS.

MADRID, Feb. 23.—Sanches Bustillo Count de Serallt, as financial minister, the latter resigning owing to ill health.

HORRIBLE CREED.

ANARCHY IN DENVER

Priest Fatally Shot at Altar.

Killed While Administering Sacrament to Kneeling Worshipers.

Murderer Boasts of Deed and Admits He Did not Know Victim.

Rushes from Church Through Horrified Throng; Fights When Caught.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

DENVER, Feb. 23.—Father Leo Heinrichs was shot and killed while administering the sacrament at early mass in St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church, Eleventh and Curtis streets, at 6 o'clock this morning.

Kneeling at the altar rail between two women, Guiseppe Guarnaccio pressed the muzzle of a revolver against the body of the priest, after receiving from him the consecrated wafer, and shot the man of God through the heart.

Exclaiming "My God! My God," Father Heinrichs fell prone in front of the altar and died without uttering another word.

With an inarticulate scream of triumph, which the communicants declare was as the yell of a demon, the assassin sprang into the aisle and waving the smoking gun about his head, dashed to the church door. A policeman on the street overpowered the maniac after a desperate fight, in which several men had to come to the assistance of the officer.

BOASTS OF ANARCHY.

Deputy Coroner Hayes took charge of the priest's body.

Guarnaccio was placed in solitary confinement in the City Jail. He admitted to a policeman who interviewed him the priest whom he had killed was a stranger to him, and in explanation of his crime made the following statement:

"I just went over there because I have a grudge against all priests in general. They are all against the workingman. I went to the communion rail because I could get a better shot. I did not give a damn whether he was a German priest or any other kind of a priest. They are all in the same class.

"I left Italy three months ago, went first to Central America and then came to the United States and to Denver. I am an anarchist and proud of it."

Father Leo Heinrichs was born at Koeln, Germany, August 15, 1867.

RUSHED FROM CITY.

Although no actual demonstration against the murderer of Father Leo has been made, there was considerable talk around town during the day of the justice of lynching him. In order to avoid an attack on the City Jail, Guarnaccio was taken to the County Jail, a more easily-defended building, where he remained several hours.

Small groups of men began to congregate near the County Jail, and after a consultation the authorities decided to take Guarnaccio out of town. Accordingly, he was hustled into an automobile and a fast run was made to Littleton, fourteen miles from Denver, where a train was boarded for Colorado Springs.

PLANNED FOUR MURDERS.

An examination of letters taken from Guarnaccia displayed no remorse for his crime and he reiterated his previous statement that he believed he was benefiting the poor people by taking the life of the priest. He said the church kept the people poor while priests lived on the fat of the land.

Among papers taken from the assassin was a list of assassins connected with the murder of Czar Paul of Russia, in 1801, also the killing of the King of Portugal. A miniature Italian flag pasted at the head of the list he declared had no significance. No notes or comment of any kind were inscribed or attached to the list.

The prisoner was closely questioned concerning his residence at Paterson, N. J., but nothing important was learned. He declared that he knew nothing of Father Leo when the latter lived at Paterson, and, in fact, had never seen or heard of him before today.

PARISHIONERS WEEP AT NEWS OF TRAGEDY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PATERSON (N. J.) Feb. 23.—The murder at Denver of Father Leo Heinrichs, or Father Leo as he was best known here, created a sensation in this city, one large section of which is in the parish of St. Bonaventure and connected with the church is the monastery of that name, the father house in this country of the Franciscan order of which Father Leo was a prominent member.

At vespers in St. Bonaventure Church tonight the congregation wept throughout the service. At the monastery no public expression was made by the priests.

In this city Father Leo was widely known and by his parishioners he was greatly loved. He came to this country in 1888 and was ordained a priest in 1901 by Bishop Wigger of the diocese of New York.

President Pardo,
Peruvian chief executive, who was guest of honor on Admiral Evans's flagship of the battleship fleet in Callao harbor yesterday.

ANARCHISTS IN EAST CURBED BY POLICE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 22.—The action of the police in preventing the meeting of a number of societies and organizations in the foreign settlement in the southern section of the city has aroused much ill-feeling among the foreigners. The action followed an order by Director of Public Safety Clay in which the police were directed to stop the anarchists from holding any meetings. The order was given in consequence of the riot that followed the parading of unemployed foreigners here on Thursday.

The meeting of a Jewish beneficial society was stopped, as was also one that was to have been addressed by a well-known lawyer who was to have talked against "Anarchism." Despite police vigilance the professed anarchists did hold a meeting in a hall, at which time they decided to retain a lawyer and prepare to advertise to hold a big meeting so that they can test the law and see whether they have the right of "free speech."

MAD.

AROUSES HIS NOBLE WRATH.

GLADYS'S COUNT OBJECTS TO THE KODAK FIEND.

Blawsted Blooming British Photographers Persist in Taking Snapshots of the American Heiress and Her Purchase as They Disembark at Plymouth.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Those blooming, blawsted English photographers, doncherknow, put Count Szechenyi in a perfect rage today, when he landed at Plymouth with the Countess, W. K. Vanderbilt, and sixty trunks. They insisted upon making snapshots of the party. The Countess laughed as the energetic young men worked their shutters, and was much amused. Not so the Count.

"I say," he snapped, "are we suspicious persons? Is there no law to stop these persons?"

No towering statute or force from Scotland Yard seemed to be anxious to stand between the party and the all-seeing camera lens. The Count then said something in his native tongue, but the photographers could not say whether he was venting profanity or describing a menu.

Her Grace, the Duchess of Marlborough, came down with a retinue of servants to meet the party. W. K. Vanderbilt trailed along for company and the party went to Claridge's Hotel.

Tonight they dined with the Duchess at Sutherland House.

RESULTS SATISFACTORY.

Experiments in So-called Class Treatment of Tuberculosis Show 80 Per Cent. of Cures.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Records of the past thirty months in the class system of the treatment of tuberculosis, conducted under the auspices of Emmanuel Church of Boston, have just been compiled, and they show 80 per cent. of cures. The church, which conducts a number of departments of welfare work in the poorer sections of Boston, arranged about three years ago with the patient department of the Massachusetts General Hospital to take up the treatment of consumption under the so-called class system, and has had enrolled for thirty months about 100 patients.

The treatment consists mainly of fresh air, proper food and such medicines as are essential. Seventy-five per cent. of the cases were of incipient tuberculosis, and the remainder advanced cases. Dr. Joseph H. Pratt, physician in charge, now announces that about 80 per cent. of the patients are fully cured, these including a fair proportion of advanced cases. The cost to the church was about $120 a patient.

CONFERS WITH PRETENDER.

PARIS, Feb. 23.—A dispatch from Tangier to the Petit Republique says that Herr Nier, the German Consular Agent at Morocco City, has visited Mulai Hafid's camp in Moorish territory and had several long consultations with the pretender.

THE NAVY.

SALUTE PARDO.

Battleships Honor Peruvian.

President Greatly Pleased by the Reception Accorded by the Fleet.

Tells Officers He Will Cable American Executive His Congratulations.

Bluejackets Flock to Lima by the Thousands; Conduct Excellent.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CALLAO, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] President Pardo and Señor Elespuru, minister of war and marine, each accompanied by his staff, today came from Lima and paid a formal visit to the American battleship fleet. A national salute was fired by each of the warships as the vessel conveying the party passed, headed for the Connecticut, Rear-Admiral Evans's flagship, which also saluted as the Presidential party went aboard of her.

After an exchange of greetings with Admiral Evans, the party was shown about the ship by officers, who explained the workings of the guns, etc. The seven-inch guns were loaded and the turrets containing the great 12-inch guns were revolved for the edification of the visitors.

The party visited every part of the vessel, and those of the crew who were not absent on liberty were mustered for inspection. Señor Pardo and the other members of the party highly praised the appearance of the crew.

GREETINGS BY WIRELESS.

After the inspection was completed President Pardo sent a greeting by wireless telegraphy from the Connecticut to Rear-Admirals Thomas, Sperry and Emory, and the other officers of the fleet, saying:

"President Pardo salutes the admirals and other officers of Rear-Admiral Evans's fleet from the flagship Connecticut, and expresses satisfaction with his visit. Upon returning to Callao, he will cable to President Roosevelt congratulations upon the most magnificent fleet and its most efficiently commissioned personnel."

Subsequently the Presidential party entered their launch and passed through the fleet, receiving a second salvo as they went by each ship. Señora Pardo, wife of the President and a number of friends, who accompanied her, were the guests of the officers of the Connecticut after the review. They expressed themselves as delighted with the courtesy of the Americans.

TO GIVE BANQUET.

On Tuesday night Samuel M. Taylor, the American Consul-General, and Mrs. Taylor, will give a banquet at the Hotel Maury to Rear-Admirals Sperry, Thomas and Emory and thirty-two other officers of the fleet. The guests will include Leslie Combs, the American Minister, Richard R. Neill, secretary of legation; Lieut. Constant Cordier, military attaché; Deputy Consul-General C. Hamilton Jones, and a number of high Peruvian officials and their wives.

There were 3000 liberty men from the fleet ashore today and so far as can be ascertained there was not a single unpleasant incident to mar the day's enjoyment. The bluejackets occupied themselves principally in taking in the sights of the city, and in riding in the trolley cars. Many of them went to Lima. The natives are doing a great trade in the sale of curios to the Americans, and many mummies' eyes are changing hands.

The natives continue to display unbounded enthusiasm over the visit of the fleet. It appeared today as though the whole population of Callao with the addition of a large contingent from Lima and elsewhere, turned out along the water front to witness the ceremonies attendant upon the visit of the Presidential party to the fleet, and they were much pleased with the honors paid the head of their State. It is estimated that more than fifty thousand Peruvians were strung along the shores of the bay, every vantage point being crowded.

CRUISERS AT SEATTLE.

FOR DRYDOCKING AND REPAIRS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Feb. 23.—The Colorado and the Pennsylvania, armored cruisers of the first-class, arrived at the navy yard, Puget Sound, today for drydocking and repairs. The Colorado will be equipped with a new main battery of four eight-inch breach-loading rifles.

The cruisers recently returned from Magdalena Bay, where they spent a month at target practice. The two vessels will be followed by eight other warships which will be repaired before April 26.

REVOLUTIONIST LOCATED.

WILLEMSTED (Curacao) Feb. 23.—Gen. Nicholas Rolando, who recently disappeared from his home in Barcelona, Venezuela, which fact, together with the arrest of several of his partisans, caused rumors that a revolution was afoot, has arrived here. He was accompanied by three other officers of the Venezuelan army.

ARRIVES IN WASHINGTON.

Gov. Gillett Tells Easterners of Plans to Welcome Fleet in Coast Cities.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Gov. James N. Gillett, of California, arrived here today for a stay of a week or ten days, and will confer with Secretary of the Navy Metcalf regarding the reception which California proposes to give to the battleship fleet.

"The people of California are looking forward with the greatest interest to the approaching visit of the fleet to the Pacific Coast," said Gov. Gillett. "Already several Coast cities, particularly San Francisco and Los Angeles, are making extensive preparations. The fleet soon will arrive at Magdalena Bay, and it is my desire to acquaint Secretary Metcalf with the plans our people are making to receive it."

While here Gov. Gillett will pay his respects to President Roosevelt.

DISASTER.

SIX KILLED IN CROSSING CRASH.

WAGONLOAD OF MERRYMAKERS RUN DOWN BY TRAIN.

Young Folk, Men and Girls, Returning from Basketball Game, Meet Death Suddenly—Victims Members of Most Prominent of Spring Valley, N. Y., Families.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SPRING VALLEY (N. Y.) Feb. 23.—A foam-specked pair of horses that tore through the streets early today, dragging between them a splintered wagon pole, brought to the village the first news of a grade-crossing accident in which nine members of its most prominent families were either killed outright or fatally injured.

The runaways brought up at the livery stable of George Young, from whom they had been hired the night before to take a party of men and girls to a basketball game at Nyack. Returning in the early hours of today, the wagonload of merrymakers was run down at a crossing by an Ontario and Western express train. Four of the party were instantly killed, two died while being removed to the Hudson County Hospital at Hoboken, N. J., and the other three lie in a serious conditions at that institution tonight.

The dead are:

GEORGE REITH, aged 30, assistant superintendent of the telephone office and manager of the Spring Valley basketball team.

NELSON MAY, aged 19, who drove the team.

BERTHA SINGER, aged 18.

EDITH SINGER, aged 20.

GEORGE SHENN, aged 18, basketball player.

JEANNETTE PALMER, aged 21.

The injured are: Warren Palmer, 22, condition serious; Henry Disteren, aged 23, basketball player, will possibly recover; Mary Edith Bird, aged 18, condition critical.

The responsibility for the accident is in dispute. The survivors cannot be questioned yet, and the only other witness was the crossing gate-tender. He declares the team was driven through the lowered gates, and that the wagon was struck and torn from the pole. The horses were uninjured.

PROMISES GLAD HAND.

AUSTRALIANS WANT FLEET.

INVITATION ALREADY SENT TO PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

Prime Minister of the Colonies Says That a Cordial Invitation Was Decided on Last December—Believes Visit Would Mark New Era in That Part of the World.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MELBOURNE, Feb. 23.—Australia wants the American fleet of battleships, now on its way to San Francisco, to come to this country. The government already has given the matter due consideration and a letter has been sent to President Roosevelt, inviting the fleet to visit the chief Australian ports, in the hope that "such a visit would mark a new era in the history of this part of the world."

As yet no reply has been received here, but today the Prime Minister, Alfred Deakin, issued the following statement: "The Federal government, realizing the significance of the visit of the American fleet to the Pacific and the importance of future developments of the appearance of such a great body of warships, decided last December to send a cordial invitation to the President of the United States, inviting the presence of the fleet at the principal Australian seaports. If the invitation is accepted, the reception given the fiet at Rio de Janeiro, Valparaiso and Callao will be eclipsed by Australia. The visit would mark a new era in the history of this part of the world."

Stuyvesant Fish,
ex-president of Illinois Central Railroad, who admits he has been beaten in long fight by Harriman, and who announces that he has quit.

UP IN THE AIR.

HEADQUARTERS DECIDED UPON.

CHICAGO TO BE HOME OF AERO FEDERATION.

Directors so Announce, and Also Make Known the Fact That It Will Finance Scheme to Equip a Complete Balloon Factory Near Local Club's Grounds.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Directors of the recently-formed Federation of Aero Clubs, have decided to establish permanent headquarters of the federation in Chicago. They also announce that the federation will finance a scheme to equip a complete ballooning factory to be built on or near the grounds of the local Aeronautique Club.

Aeronauts arriving for the Chicago contests from Europe or from distant points in America will need such a building and in deciding to erect the factory the federation will have the distinction of being the first organization in the world to safeguard the interests of the contestants in this manner.

It is probable the money will be raised by subscription from members of the federation, stock being given in return. The contest board also announced that a representative will be sent to Europe about March 15 to secure entries for the international contests to be held in Chicago.

"SHE" WAS A MAN.

Love Was Too Much for St. Louis Telephone Operator and He Confesses His Sex.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Five months ago a graceful young girl applied to James W. Thompson, traffic manager of the Bell Telephone Company, for a position as operator, giving the name of Helen Iles, saying she had field a similar position in Chicago, her home city. Her dignified manners impressed Thompson, and she was employed.

A week ago, "Helen" sought a dashing young brunette in the rest room and declared he loved her, and could not live without her, confessing he was a man. The girl repulsed him, and immediately sought the chief operator and related all that had occurred. "Helen" confessed and was immediately discharged.

When it became known among the girl operators that their associate was really a boy in disguise, there was general consternation because there was not one among them who had not at some time confided to "her" intimate secrets.

REFUSE TO FIRE ON FLAG.

Confederate Veterans Will not Shoot at Stars and Stripes Even in Sham Battle.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DALLAS (Tex.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] For several weeks arrangements for a sham battle on March 10 at the National Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth have been in progress. The participants are to be the Confederate Guard of Dallas, an organization of soldiers of the South in the Civil War, and the Texas National Guardsmen.

The final meeting for arrangements was held last night. Capt. Daniel of the Confederate Guard announced that his command would not participate if the military men used the American flag.

"Under no circumstances will we fire on the Stars and Stripes, not even in a sham battle," declared Capt. Daniels.

"We stopped doing that in '65."

Rather than have the sham battle abandoned, the managers decided to have the National Guardsmen use some other set of colors.

CRASH ON CURVE.

Rear-End Collision at Cambridge, O., on Trolley Line Kills One and Injures Fifteen.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CAMBRIDGE, (O.) Feb. 23.—In a rear-end collision on the Byesville interurban line today, Rose Clancey of this city was killed outright and fifteen injured, five it is thought, fatally. The car had just rounded a curve and gone to another and shorter curve, with a city car but a few feet behind. The trolley of the interurban slipped, and the city car smashed into the one forward, nearly telescoping it.

The injured were brought to the city hospital here.

BEATEN.

FISH QUITS STRUGGLE

Admits Defeat by Harriman.

Predicts Trouble for Illinois Central Under Present Management.

Says That Mitchell, Chicago Banker, Has Refused Place on Board.

Ex-President of Road Airs Grievances in Public Statement.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Stuyvesant Fish issued a statement tonight announcing that he would abandon the fight against E. H. Harriman for the control of the Illinois Central Railroad, and intimating that John J. Mitchell, president of the Illinois Trust and Savings Bank of Chicago had been offered by Mr. Harriman a place on the board of directors of the railroad, but had declined it.

He expressed dissent to Judge Ball's conclusions, and declared continued control of the Illinois Central by Mr. Harriman would yield no good to the stockholders of the Illinois Central.

"The terms of the directors now to be elected will expire before an appeal can be prosecuted to the court of last resort," Mr. Fish stated.

"In the meanwhile the Union Pacific will have filled the whole Illinois Central board with creatures of its own selection. As three Illinois Central directors are elected annually for terms of four years each, it would thereafter take three years more to put an end to the Union Pacific domination. Under any circumstances, a final decision is very far off, and may be circumvented by the transfer of stock heretofore enjoined, to friends of the Union Pacific, all of which transfers would have to be attacked by additional litigation.

"The Union Pacific has announced its intention of electing as directors the following citizens and residents of the State of New York: John Jacob Astor, who owns 7000 shares; A. G. Hackstaff, 166, and E. H. Harriman, 130; together with a fourth person, as yet unnamed.

"It was judicially determined in Judge Ball's court that the 14,000 shares which were transferred into Mr. Harriman's name in September, 1907, for the obvious purpose of supporting his false statement as to his being the largest stockholder in the company, belong and have all along belonged to the Union Pacific. Indeed, Mr. Harriman has not owned more than 130 shares since in the summer of 1906.

"He said his large holdings to the Union Pacific with such secrecy that neither he nor Charles A. Peabody, nor Robert Walton Goelet, who are also directors of the Illinois Central and of the Union Pacific, allowed an inkling of the fact to come to the knowledge of any of their colleagues in the Illinois Central until the record thereof in the minutes of the Union Pacific board was ferreted out by the Interstate Commerce Commission and made public in January, 1907.

"I went into the contest at the solicitation of many stockholders who had for many years entrusted me with their proxies and upon the advice of counsel, with great reluctance. My effort has been to protect the Illinois Central and my own large holdings therein of 12,432 shares, from exploitation by men whose acts in other corporations have been denounced, after full investigation by officers of the Federal government, and are involved in suits here in New York, in Utah and elsewhere, and have done my best to advise the stockholders of the situation. When Mr. Harriman and his associates shall, at length, be forced to answer the questions which they have been evading for a year past, my contention that the destiny of the Illinois Central and the interest of the State of Illinois therein should not be entrusted to Harriman and those selected by him will be justified.

"I take this opportunity of thanking the holders of more than 300,000 shares of the stock of the Illinois Central Railroad Company for having honored me with their proxies, and their confidence in this contest. Submitting to, and not acquiescing in, Judge Ball's decision, the contest in the courts is now closed."

EDISON IN HOSPITAL.

Operation Performed on Inventor's Ear and Prompt Recovery Is Confidently Expected.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Thomas A. Edison, the inventor, is a patient at the Manhattan Hospital, where tonight he underwent an operation intended to relieve him of trouble in the left ear.

The operation, which was not considered especially serious, was performed by Dr. Arthur D. Deuel, the ear specialist, who opened an abscess in the middle ear. The operation was seemingly wholly successful and unless unexpected complications develop, a prompt recovery is anticipated. Mr. Edison, however, will be at the hospital for possibly a week.

Mrs. Edison is at the hospital and will remain during her husband's stay there

NEW YORK TO PARIS.

AUTO RACERS IN DISSENSION.

Italian Car Refused Privilege Given Rival.

American Allowed to Use a Railroad Track.

Horses and Snow Plows Aid Thomas Machine.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MICHIGAN CITY (Ind.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A spectacular finish in the event between the French and American motor cars entered in the New York-to-Paris endurance run began tonight.

The American car, the Thomas, driven by Montague Roberts, reached Michigan City at 7 o'clock, having covered twenty-two miles through a road that no farmer for a week has dared attempt. In places the snow was ten feet deep. Until three miles out of Michigan City the car was towed by twelve horses, while a four-horse snow-plow preceded it through the drifts. Twenty-four horses were used in the trip here.

The Italian car, the Zust, made the trip from Goshen to South Bend, twenty-five miles, in six hours. The French De Dion and the Studebaker car are between Ligonier and Goshen.

ROW IS STARTED.

To add to the interest of the race, dissension has broken out again between the Americans and the foreign drivers. When the Zust car got to Goshen, Sartori, the driver, learned that the American car had gone over the right of way of the Northern Indiana Railway from Goshen to South Bend and that the railroad company had furnished a special car to pilot the racer and keep the tracks safe. Sartori asked for this same privilege but was refused.

President E. S. Mulholland of the electric line said that under no circumstances would he allow any but the American-made cars to go over his tracks.

Paul Picard of Chicago, who is in Michigan City with his machine, said that he would not help the Thomas car on the way to Chicago, but would wait for the French and Italian cars.

SCORES THOMAS CAR.

Picard said also that he had talked to Jack Banta of the Runs and Tours Committee of the Chicago Auto Club, who is at Chesterton with his car to act as pilot, that Banta also would refuse to help the Thomas car.

"I will help only the men who are racing fairly," said Picard. "The acts of the Thomas people are despicable. It is the kind of thing that casts a shadow on American sport in Europe."

The use of horses by the Thomas car in the snow also has raised adverse criticism. The foreign drivers have announced that a car might as well be shipped as to be dragged by a dozen horses. All along the line the people who have seen the caravan of horses approaching in front of the car have asked this question, "What use is it to go to Alaska when the car can't go from South Bend to Michigan City without horses?"

LABOR.

SHIPS LAID UP BY STRIKERS.

ENGINEERS' ROW WITH OWNERS WILL BE LONG ONE.

Association Holds Out Firmly and the Action of Unionites Results in Many Men Being Thrown Out of Work While the Operators Have Little to Fear.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—The lumber arrivals today amounted to 1,700,000 feet. The vessels which came into port were the Sea Foam, the Wasp, the South Coast, Washington and the Sausalito. The Sea Foam and the Wasp, which belong to members of the Ship Owners' Association, will discharge their crews and be laid up on account of the marine engineers.

The steam schooner situation is unchanged, according to the statements of the parties involved. Both sides are still holding out, and the opinion expressed by many on the water front is that the tie-up will be a long one.

Owing to the particularly low rates the lumber schooner owners are not overanxious to run their vesses in any event and hence the strike does not come so hard on them. There was no attempt today to unload the lumber brought to port.

UNIONITES OPPOSE CUT.

RAILROAD MEN IN MEETING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ATLANTA (Ga.) Feb. 23.—Fifteen hundred railroad men representing all the different labor unions whose members find employment with the railroads centering here, met, in mass meeting today and adopted resolutions indorsing President Roosevelt's action in ordering an investigation of the reported cut in wages to be made by railroads when the so-called nine-hour law goes into effect March 4.

Another resolution denounced the attempts of the railroads to reduce wages, and action was taken looking to a permanent organization of those represented at today's meeting.

WANT WORK FOR IDLE.

ASK FEDERAL AID FOR RELIEF.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BALTIMORE, Feb. 23.—Twelve hundred unemployed men at a meeting tonight passed a resolution calling upon the national government to loan to States and municipalities on non-interest-bearing bonds money to be used in the construction of highways, bridges and other public works, with a view to relieving the condution of the unemployed.

WAR ON FEDERATION.

LEASERS ARE INDEPENDENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

GOLDFIELD (Nev.) Feb. 23.—The leading leasers declare that they will not recognize the Western Federation of Miners any more than the Mine Operators' Association, that they were fighting the organization just as hard, and that while they are disposed to grant a higher scale than that adopted by the mine operators, they will not recognize the Federation, and will hold out for an open camp.

WOMAN CREATES SENSATION IN COURTROOM.

Catherine Poillon,

who asserted she loaned Magistrate Barlow $25,000 and he agreed to pay hotel bills, when she and younger sister were convicted of defrauding hotel out of $135.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Asserting that she had lent Magistrate Peter F. Barlow $25,000 to help buy a seat on the Stock Exchange, that the magistrate had agreed to pay her hotel bills, and that there had been an intimate acquaintance between them for ten years, Catherine Poillon, central figure in many episodes, created a mild sensation in Special Sessions, where she and her younger but equally well-known sister, Charlotte, were convicted of defrauding the Hotel Bristol out of a board bill of $135.

Friends of the magistrate characterized the statements of the woman as absurd, and declared that she was striving to injure him because of her belief that, as a magistrate, he had added to her troubles during the last four years. It was with a show of bitter resentment that the woman made her statements to the judges. Despite interruptions by the presiding judge and protests from the prosecuting attorney, she told her story in a high-pitched voice that was heard by every one in the crowded courtroom, and when she had finished shook her head defiantly.

Court was quickly adjourned and word was sent to Magistrate Barlow at the Union Club to appear as a witness at the afternoon session. There was a unique scene when the Poillon woman, acting as her own counsel, and spurning offers of legal representation, questioned the distinguished appearing magistrate.

"Peter Townsend Barlow, do you know me?" she asked.

"I do," was the reply.

"How long have you known me?"

"Since the night before the Dewey parade—about ten years."

The woman asked one or two other questions, as she said, "to show the intimacy that existed between myself and the magistrate." Dist.-Atty. Jerome, who had taken personal charge of the prosecution, objected to the statements of the woman, and she was instructed by the court to ask what questions she wished and then to remain silent. Mr. Jerome asked the magistrate one question.

"Have you at any time," he said, "or in any place within the last two years, in conversation with the defendants or in the presence of any one else, said that in consideration of Miss Poillon not suing you for $25,000 or $500 you would pay her hotel bills?"

"I have not."

Within two minutes after this answer was given the judges declared the Poillon women guilty and remanded them to the Tombs.

UP AND DOWN THE VALLEY.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The records at the local weather bureau tonight show a storm in the West, moving eastward. It is too early, however, to determine what it will amount to in the vicinity of Chicago. The weather conditions for the past twenty-four hours were mild in every respect. The maximum temperature was 38 and minimum 29 deg.

Middle West tempgratures at 7 p.m. tonight follow:

Alpena 16, Bismarck 40, Cairo 48, Cheyenne 58, Cincinnati 34, Cleveland 26, Davenport 38, Denver 54, Des Moines 40, Devil's Lake 32, Dodge City 40, Dubuque 50, Duluth 20, Escanaba 14, Grand Rapids 24, Green Bay 22, Helena 52, Huron 36, Indianapolis 34, Kansas City 50, Marquette 12, Memphis 54, Milwaukee 30, Omaha 42, St. Louis 44, St. Paul 36, Sault Ste. Marie 10, Springfield, Ill., 36; Springfield, Mo., 40; Wichita 52.

TO BUILD HOSPITAL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Mary Adelaide Yerkes, widow of Charles T. Yerkes, the Chicago financier, and traction king of two continents, announced today that it was her desire to devote a portion of her $10,000,000 estate to the erection of a magnificent hospital in Chicago. The delay incident to the final adjustment of the Yerkes estate, caused by the tangled condition of Chicago Traction affairs and the complication in the London traction situation, have made it difficult for Mrs. Yerkes to mature her plans.

WASHINGTON TODAY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] If George Washington were living today he would be a captain of industry, a railroad president, or a successful business man, but still a patriot. This was the inference drawn from a lecture delivered by the Rev. Charles J. Little, president of Garrett Biblican Institute of Northwestern University, in a unique meeting of Evanston churches in the First Congregational Church of Evanston this evening.

CLEAR AWAY SNOW.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The work of cleaning the downtown streets of the snow which fell last week is practically completed. Four thousand men were employed by the city in removing the snow from the city's streets, and approximately 28,000 wagonloads of snow were carted away to the lake. The cost of removing the snow is estimated at from $20,000 to $25,000.

BEATS DEMON RUM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

GOWRIE (Iowa) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Unable to reform her hard-drinking husband by milder methods, Mrs. Ivan Oldgrey sewed him between two bed blankets and then horsewhipped him until he was not only perfectly sober, but willing to sign a total-abstinence pledge. Mrs. Oldgrey says that if her remedy proves effectual she will get it patented and run in opposition to the gold-cure establishments.

ORIGINAL REFORMER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That the Prophet Daniel was the first civil-service reformer and that the present-day methods of governmental office holding can be traced back to the time of the prophet, was declared today by President E. B. Andrews of the University of Nebraska, in an address to the Chicago Sunday Evening Club at Orchestra Hall.

LISTEN TO ABLE ADDRESS.

Germans Hear Kaiser's Ambassador at Laying of Corner-stone of German Clubhouse.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TAMPA (Fla.) Feb. 23.—The German Ambassador, Baron Speck von Sternberg, in an address at the laying of the corner-stone for the new German clubhouse today, said:

"The historic friendship first between Prussia and the United States, and after that, when Prussia had founded the German Empire, between the latter and the United States, has never been severed. Steuben schooled the Revolutionary army and Muehlenberg was the first Speaker of the House of Representatives.

"Since the Revolution there has been a nearly uninterrupted emigration from Germany to this country, which has proved of the greatest importance in the populating of vast districts of the United States. Men of German birth and descent were nearly all devoted to the Union, body and soul. At the outbreak of the Civil War it was men of German birth or descent who saved Maryland, Missouri, and even Kentucky, for the cause of the Union, and rendered their adopted country by word and deeds services which never can be forgotten.

"Only recently I heard a leading statesman in Washington make the following remark: 'When a man receives an honorable discharge from the German army, he is sure to be a pretty good man. If these men emigrate to America, where several hundreds of thousands of them have made their second homes, I claim they make the very best foreign-born citizens of this country.'

"My dear countrymen, if the German man and the German woman in their hearts remain true to the German spirit, if they inculcate it in the souls of their children and grandchildren, they will best honor the country of their fathers, no matter how many thousand miles away from Germany they build their homes. They will then spread in the new fatherland the good German qualities. They will thereby continue to contribute to a sound development of the new country, and stand forth with a distinct purpose and be reckoned among the best citizens of the New World.

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SIXTIETH CONGRESS.

CARRIAGE OF INTOXICANTS.

Senate Wrestling With Its Regulation.

Subcommittee Favors Bacon Measure.

Bill Allows Each State to Control Traffic.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Hearings on the various bills to regulate interstate commerce in intoxicating liquors with a view to preventing shipments into "dry" States or counties will be closed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary on Saturday next.

The arguments are being made before a sub-committee consisting of Senators Knox, chairman; Nelson, Fulton, Bacon and Rayner.

Probably no question before Congress, not excepting the currency problem, has received so much attention during the present session. It is of vital interest to nearly every State of the South, and to half of the northern and western States.

PROVISIONS OF THE BILL.

The indications are that the sub-committee will recommend the passage of the Bacon bill. Its author, being a member of the committee, has incorporated into the measure numerous amendments covering nearly every phase of the subject that has been raised during the extended hearings. It provides that intoxicating liquors within the borders of any State shall be within the lawful police powers of such State, but that the State shall not interfere with the transportation of liquors. It provides that the bill of lading accompanying the shipment shall declare the destination and that the transportation shall not be arrested nor diverted from the point of consignment. In other words, the bill seeks to prevent any transaction in shipment which would tend to defeat the State law in regard to traffic in intoxicants, whatever that State law may be.

NOT A PROHIBITION BILL.

Senator Bacon pointed out during the hearings that it is in no sense a prohibition bill, and if enacted into law would not, of itself, interfere with the sale of liquors in any place. The sole purpose of the measure is by Congressional action to so regulate interstate commerce in intoxicating liquors as to remove the barriers created by the operation of the interstate commerce law in order to permit the State to exercise full control of the traffic within its borders. Succinctly stated, it will secure to each State the right and power to enact and to enforce laws which will regulate and control the liquor traffic in such State in such manner as its people may elect.

ADJUNCT TO LOCAL OPTION.

The passage of the Bacon bill will give to each State the right to determine whether there shall or shall not be within its borders any traffic in intoxicating liquors. The same power will extend to a county of a State, so that it may be determined whether the restriction shall be wholly or in part. Under this bill, the State could entirely exclude liquors from its borders, or if it desired, could permit liquor traffic. Furthermore, any State would have the power, if its people so elected, to permit liquors to be received by any citizen for his own use, and at the same time the sale to others could be prohibited. It is provided that Congress, in the exercise of its powers to regulate commerce between the States, shall so control interstate commerce in intoxicating liquors as to leave each State the free exercise of its police powers in relation to the liquor traffic within its borders.

THE WEEK'S PROGRAMME.

Matters That Will Occupy the Attention of Our National Legislators the Next Six Days.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The Aldrich Currency Bill in the Senate, and the supply measures in the House will keep to the fore during the week.

The Senate will begin the week by listening to speeches by Senators Gallinger and Depew on the Mail Subsidy Bill, but as soon as they have been heard will return to the consideration of the Aldrich Bill. It is the intention to keep that measure to the front, with the expectation of reaching a vote before the end of the week. Senator Aldrich, who has charge of the bill, is bending his energies to that end, and is very confident that if a vote is not had this week one will be taken early in the week following.

In the House practically all the time will be given to the consideration of the Army and Postoffice Appropriation bills. It is intended to confine business as closely as possible to supply measures in the future. This is a part of the programme looking to an early adjournment, in which the Senate and House are a unit.

DIDN'T WANT MAMMA'S BOY.

Students of Military Academy Object to Such a Member and Buy Him a Ticket Home.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS (Mo.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Accused of being a "mollycoddle" and a "mamma's boy," and of being too "stuck up" to associate with his fellow-pupils at the Western Military Academy, Upper Alton, John Flentge, aged 19, son of E. W. Flentge, postmaster at Cape Girardeau, Mo., was escorted to a train by a committee of his classmates and sent home.

His ticket from Alton to Cape Girardeau was bought by the other cadets, a collection being taken up for the purpose. He was told to get on the train and "never come back."

Capt. Eaton, a member of the faculty, said that although young Flentge had not transgressed any of the rules of the school, he was so manifestly unpopular with his fellow-students that he would not be permitted to return to the academy.

ANARCHISTIC.

DETAILS OF PLOT TO ASSASSINATE.

RUSSIAN AUTHORITIES MAKE OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

Attempt Is Ascribed to the Social Revolutionary Party Which Was Reorganized Last May, With $40,000 Monthly at Its Disposal for the Manufacture of Bombs, Etc.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 23.—An official announcement was made yesterday by the Ministry of the Interior concerning the plot which was discovered and frustrated two days ago by the police, the object of which was the assassination of Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholaievitch, second cousin of Emperor Nicholas, and commander of the Imperial Guard, and M. Chtcheglovitoff, the Minister of Justice.

The details correspond to those already given in these dispatches. The official announcement ascribes the attempted assassination directly to the social revolutionary party, whose terrorist associations were reorganized in May of last year, after having been allowed to relapse after the congress held in Finland in the spring of 1906. At the time of reorganization the sum of $40,000 monthly was assigned for espionage and the preparation of bombs and other instruments of death. The group to which the execution of these latest crimes was entrusted is officially designated as the "Mobile Fighting Detachment of the Northern District."

The social revolutionary party four months ago made an unsuccessful attempt to assassinate Minister Chtchlegovitoff, on the occasion of the funeral of Gen. Maximoffsky, director of prisons of the Ministry of the Interior, who was killed in this city by Mlle. Ragozinnikova, and it is stated was responsible also for the assassination of Lieut.-Gen. Vladimyr Pavloff, January 9, 1907; Maj.-Gen. Von der Launitz, on January 3, 1907, and M. Guidema, Governor of the Political Prison on Bazil Island, on January 30 of the same year.

The murderer of M. Guidema, for whom the police have been searching in vain since the crime, is among those arrested the day before yesterday. The group of terrorists is nowise connected with the Maximalist organization, which executed the attempt upon Premier Stolypin at his villa in this city in 1906, and which has put through several big political robberies in St. Petersburg and Moscow. The selection of Grand Duke Nicholas and M. Chtdeglovitoff for assassination has occasioned some remark, as neither the Grand Duke nor the minister has been prominent in repressive measures.

In M. Chtcheglovitoff the revolutionists apparently were trying to kill not the man but the head of the department responsible for the political trials of the last year, as well as the prison régime under which thousands of revolutionists have suffered.

HAS MALEVOLENT INFLUENCE.

Grand Duke Nicholas, although not directly connected with the administration, except by his position of nominal commander of the troops in St. Petersburg, has been held up by the revolutionists to the popular gaze as the patron of the reactionary organization and a malevolent influence upon Emperor Nicholas.

The police have discovered on Bazil Island the headquarters of the northern organization. In a secret chamber were found, in addition to a quantity of revolvers and cartridges, two powerful bombs of the finest workmanship and a great quantity of a new explosive of enormous force.

The tenant of the building where this find was made and who was arrested on the street with a bomb in his pocket, has been identified as an accomplice in the murders of Lieut.-Gen. Pavloff, Maj.-Gen. Von der Launitz and Great Maximoffsky.

Four lodgers in the building—two men and two women also were arrested, and are now confined in a fortress. The two women arrested yesterday in Finland are shut up in the same fortress.

It is reported that the wife and sister-in-law of a millionaire merchant named Meshkoff, whose house was among those searched by the police, are being held as members of the organization. M. Meshkoff is the owner of fifty steamers plying on the Volga.

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LEVANTS?

DEPARTURE IS SUDDEN

T. B. Rickey Leaves Reno for California.

Successor Follows Him on Next Train.

Actions of Two Considered Significant.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RENO (Nev.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The sudden departure of T. B. Rickey for California has created uneasiness on the part of some of the heaviest depositors of the State Bank and Trust Company.

Donald Mackenzie, the newly-elected president, arrived in Reno last evening, and left on a later train for California. Following the departure of Rickey, who left for the West last night, the passage in the same direction is looked upon as significant.

In an interview last evening, between trains, Mackenzie said:

"While I do not desire to throw out any insinuation regarding the departure of Rickey at this time, I wish to say that the placing of a man charged with so grave a crime as that with which he has been stigmatised under bond so trivial as $10,000 is regrettable. It was a serious mistake of the justice at Carson to call it nothing worse."

GRAFT PROSECUTION.

TO PROSECUTE "CHINKS" SQUAD.

LANGDON TO PREFER CHARGES AGAINST BIGGY'S OFFICERS.

District Attorney Believes They Have Been "Shaking Down" Denizens of San Francisco's Tenderloin, but Biggy Declares They Are Above Grafting and Are Doing Their Duty.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dist.-Atty. Langdon, it is said, expects to prefer charges against the Chinatown police squad.

Although Chief of Police Biggy declares in the most emphatic language that his men are doing their duty and are above grafting, the District Attorney has been led to believe that the old trick of "shaking down" the denizens of the city's tenderloin is being worked as successfully as in the dark days of "Jerry" Dinan's regime.

The prospective action of the District Attorney is prompted by his discovery last week that members of the Chinatown squad, apparently without good reason, arrested John R. Lewis, proprietor of a vaudeville show at No. 44 Dupont street, and threw him into jail for vagrancy.

Langdon learned that Lewis was conducting a show not one whit worse than a number of others which have been running unmolested for weeks.

Biggy declared he had had Lewis arrested himself because he was conducting indecent Hawaiian hula-hula dances. Langdon investigated the case, and found what he claims to be persecution because Lewis would not give up to the police. So he began an investigation which is said to have disclosed some remarkable graft.

TO TELL OF RUEF CONTRACT.

Langdon, Heney and Burns to File Affidavits Tuesday Giving Details of Immunity Deal.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Every detail of the negotiations between the graft prosecution and Abe Ruef will be bared in the exhaustive affidavits to be filed in Judge Lawlor's court Tuesday morning by Dist.-Atty. Langdon, Heney and William J. Burns.

Heney and William J. Burns, preparing their affidavits, and while they would not discuss the contents of the documents, both said that the sworn statements would include every important detail of their relations with Ruef.

BAER AT STANFORD.

Delivers Two Addresses Deploring Unpleasant Notoriety of University on the Drink Question.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John Will Baer, President of Occidental College, addressed the students of this university today at both the morning and afternoon devotional meetings, speaking on the present situation here, and deploring the unpleasant notoriety which the university had received on account of the actions of some few individuals in regard to the drink question.

He took the stand that it was not in the power of President Jordan to stop drinking, but that reform must come from the students as individuals, and be backed up by a proper moral sentiment. He stated that no laws, no matter how rigidly enforced, could end such a practice if they did not have the moral sanction of the students themselves.

APPLAUDED OFF THE STAGE.

Orator Forced to Retire by Cheers of Audience Who Had Heard Enough.

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RENO (Nev.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The sudden departure of T. B. Rickey for California has created considaable on the part of some of the heaviest depositors of the State Bank and Trust Company.

Donald Mackenzie, the newly-elected president, arrived in Reno last evening, and left on a later train for California. Following the departure of Rickey, who left for the West last night, the passage in the same direction is looked upon as significant.

In an interview last evening, between trains, Mackenzie said:

"While I do not desire to throw out any insinuation regarding the departure of Rickey at this time, I wish to say that the placing of a man charged with so grave a crime as that with which he has been stigmatized under a bond so trivial as $10,000 is regrettable. It was a serious mistake of the justice at Carson to call it nothing worse."

GRAFT PROSECUTION.

TO PROSECUTE "CHINKS" SQUAD.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dist.-Atty. Langdon, it is said, expects to prefer charges against the Chinatown police squad.

Although Chief of Police Biggy declares in the most emphatic language that his men are doing their duty and are above grafting, the District Attorney has been led to believe that the old trick of "shaking down" the denizens of the city's tenderloin is being worked as successfully as in the dark days of "Jerry" Dinan's regime.

The prospective action of the District Attorney is prompted by his disclosure last week that members of the Chinatown squad, apparently without any reason, arrested John R. Lewis, proprietor of a vaudeville show at No. 9 Dupont street, and threw him into jail for vagrancy.

Langdon learned that Lewis was conducting a show not one whit worse than a number of others which have been running unmolested for weeks.

Biggy declared he had had Lewis arrested himself because he was conducting indecent Hawaiian hula-hula dances. Langdon investigated the case, and found what he claims to be persecution because Lewis would not live up to the police. So he began an investigation which is said to have disclosed some remarkable graft.

TO TELL OF RUEF CONTRACT.

Langdon, Heney and Burns to File Affidavits Tuesday Giving Details of Immunity Deal.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Every detail of the negotiations between the graft prosecution and Abe Ruef will be aired in the exhaustive affidavits to be filed in Judge Lawlor's court Tuesday morning by Dist.-Atty. Langdon, Heney and William J. Burns.

Heney and William J. Burns, bearing their affidavits, and while they would not discuss the contents of the documents, both said that the sworn statements would include every important detail of their relations with Ruef.

BAER AT STANFORD.

Delivers Two Addresses Deploring Unpleasant Notoriety of University on the Drink Question.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John Willis Baer, President of Occidental College, addressed the students of this university today at both the morning and afternoon devotional meetings, speaking on the present situation here, and deploring the unpleasant notoriety which the university had received on account of the actions of some few individuals in regard to the drink question.

He took the stand that it was not in the power of President Jordan to stop drinking, but that reform must come from the students as individuals, and be backed up by a proper moral sentiment. He stated that no laws, no matter how rigidly enforced, could end such a practice if they did not have the moral sanction of the students themselves.

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By far the greater part of the mills of the State are already closed, having done little or nothing since November, when the eastern markets weakened, and new advanced freight rates became effective. Sporadically they have been resuming operations, but in the judgment of those at the metting today, presided over by J. D. Bass, former manager of the Shingle Mills Bureau, it was the sentiment that the present state of the market did not justify resumption. Another meeting is called for Thursday at Seattle, when efforts will be made to get together the majority of the State manufacturers to ratify today's action.

The estimated present demand is far below 10 per cent. of the possible output. Twelve thousand men, it is estimated, are effected.

SEES HIS WIFE DIE.

Husband Contracted Disease While Nursing Her and Is Powerless to Give Her Any Aid.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RENO (Nev.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Watching from his pillow, Charles Brown of Gold Hill yesterday saw his wife, Georgia Brown, breath her last, but a final struggle to get from his couch to the bedside of his dying wife failed him and he sank back unconscious.

Georgia Brown was confined to her bed with a severe attack of pneumonia all last week. While caring for his wife, the husband contracted the disease.

Mrs. Brown failed fast, and yesterday afternoon sank rapidly. Brown was too ill to even send for the family physician, and powerless to extend an aiding hand beneath her pillow.

He raised himself upon his elbows and witnessed the sight which will probably hasten his own end.

DISQUIETING.

TAKES BACK HIS PROMISE.

KING LEOPOLD WANTS CONTROL OF SPECIAL FUNDS.

Government Is Firmly Resisting His Demands, and Will Resign If Necessary—The Matter Brings up the Question of the Annexation to Belgium of the Congo Free State.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BRUSSELS, Feb. 23.—The situation in the matter of the annexation to Belgium of the Congo Free State is again assuming a disquieting aspect.

It is said that King Leopold has taken back all his fair promises, and now demands that the special fund which was to replace the crown domain be placed under his control and not under that of Parliament, as originally agreed. In addition, he asks that $50,000,000 be placed at his disposal to carry out various projects.

It is understood the government is firmly resisting these demands, and is determined if it becomes necessary, to resign, and under the circumstances, as Leopold could not find any one to form a new ministry, it will mean elections that will be bound to result in the return of a majority most hostile to the King.

The Petit Bleau, while admitting that there have been exchanges in the last few days between King Leopold and Premier Schollaert on the question of annexation, says they have not resulted in a settlement of the matter, owing to the inability to agree on special works to be executed out of the revenue from the special fund, and denies that a ministerial crisis is imminent.

POLICE COMMENDED.

Thoroughness of Their Work in St. Petersburg Eliciting Praise All Over the City.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 23.—The skillful performance of the police in the round-up of the great band of plotters, has won praise throughout the city, bearing witness to the thoroughness of the methods evolved for fighting terrorists. The secret police are spending unlimited sums in bringing the terrorists to justice, and have drafted agents of international experience, who are thoroughly familiar with the byways of western anarchists, and who will introduce an improved technique here.

The police department has entered into relations with detective agencies abroad, and has organized an extensive service in all the centers where Russian emigrants congregate, particularly in New York, Paris and Switzerland, and are making a special effort to penetrate within the innermost councils of the social democratic and social revolutionist organizations.

In connection with the latest plot, the memoers of the secret service were absolutely trusted by comrades of the revolutionists who attended the meetings held in Finland, where the final plan for the assassination of Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholaievoff and the minister of justice, was elaborated. Two hundred plain clothes men were called in by heads of the police department and given precise instructions as to what action should be taken, and apparently they arrested without error the persons involved.

Thus far the police have failed to extract a confession from any of those arrested as to their identity, but several undoubtedly are members of aristocratic houses. It is certain that numbers of conspirators have managed to evade arrest, and a careful watch is being kept for these.

STEAMER A TOTAL WRECK.

Goes on Rocks Off Turks Island, but Passengers and Crew Are Saved.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TURKS ISLAND, Feb. 23.—The British steamer Beta, Capt. Pye, from Halifax, for Bermuda, Turks Island and Kingston, was totally wrecked off here today. The crew and passengers were rescued and part of the cargo possibly will be saved. The steamer was of 667 tons.

WAS UNINSURED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

HALIFAX (N. S.) Feb. 23.—Pickford & Black of this city, owners of the steamer Beta, received a cablegram tonight reporting the total loss of the vessel. She had three saloon, several second-class passengers, and a crew of 35, all of whom were saved.

The steamer struck about five miles off the island, and remained hard and fast on the rocks. She took in water so rapidly that hasty preparations were made to abandon her. No details as to the cause of the accident have been received.

The steamer was valued at $125,000, and was uninsured.

Railroad Closes Shops.

SEDALIA (Mo.) Feb. 23.—The M., K. and T. Railroad shops here, employing 500 men, have been closed until March 2. The shops of the whole system are to be kept idle as much as possible to

FAVORS REIMBURSEMENT.

REGARDS BILL WITH FAVOR.

President Would Recoup the Southern Pacific.

Commends Its Action in the Salton Sea Matter.

Thinks It Did the Country a Good Service.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Influenced largely by a statement from President Roosevelt that he has no differences with E. H. Harriman over the proposition that the government shall reimburse the Southern Pacific for moneys spent in saving the Imperial Valley in Southern California from inundation by the Colorado River, the House Committee on Claims is preparing to take up the bill which appropriates something over $1,000,000 to pay the Harriman company back its expenditures.

President Roosevelt's statement was made verbally to Senator Flint and Representative Smith of California and to Chairman Miller of the House Committee on Claims, whom he summoned to the White House on Saturday for the express purpose of impressing upon him his belief that Harriman ought to be paid.

The President let it be known that he was not at all strong for Harriman or his methods, but he was bound to admit that he had done the country a service in assuming the expense of saving the Imperial Valley. In short, he announced a square deal.

In order that there shall be no conception that the President has changed his attitude concerning Harriman through his advocacy of the Southern Pacific claim, he has spoken plainly enough for the dullest person to understand that the railroad magnate's place in his affections is precisely the same as it has been during recent months. Congressmen who called at the White House were bluntly told that Harriman and his methods were still disabreeable subjects of conversation.

TO USE ELECTRICITY.

Great Northern Will Install Big Plant to Furnish Power to Operate Mountain Division.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA (Wash.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] By order of Jim Hill, the Great Northern will be the first of the transcontinental railroads to operate its mountain divisions by electricity.

By August 1 all trains will be operated by electricity across the Cascades from Leavenworth, a little west of the Columbia River, to Skyhomish on the western slope. The water power plant to generate 12,000 electric horse-power is being installed in the water cañon on the eastern slope of the Cascades.

The contract to furnish nearly two miles of stave pipe, eight feet, six inches in diameter, has been awarded to the Pacific Coast Pipe Company. Water will be taken from the Wenatchee River at a point six miles above Leavenworth.

A million and a half feet of lumber and nearly two million pounds of steel bands will be used in constructing the pipe. A railroad has been built up the Wenatchee River Cañon for the delivery of material. Water will be carried across the river in a steel pipe on a steel trestle developing 185 inches at the power station.

Fifteen years ago Villard took up electrifying the mountain division of the Northern Pacific but the panic of 1893 prevented. If the plan justifies the expectations it will be duplicated on the Northern Pacific.

WILL BE LONESOME.

W. J. Bryan Predicts That Dishonest Financiers Will Soon Be Left Alone With Their Money.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) Feb. 23.—W. J. Bryan addressed an audience of men only here this morning which completely filled the City Auditorium, even to standing room.

Mr. Bryan spoke for two hours and held his audience almost to a man. There were possibly 4500 present.

The speech was one of his regular lectures, "The Prince of Peace."

He left for Lawrence, Kan., after the lecture, where he spoke tonight under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A., in the Kansas University gymnasium.

In his speech here, Mr. Bryan touched on the money question, and said:

"A short time ago the Christian churches were in a big controversy over whether or not they should accept money from some of the great financiers. Many men spend a part of their lives getting money, a second part trying to keep other men from trying to get it away from them, and recently, a third part in trying to give it away.

"I think the time is coming, and coming soon, when many of these great financiers who have got their money by dishonest means will be made the most lonesome men on earth by being left alone, without friends and with nothing but this money."

TRYING TO BREAK IN.

Hearst Forcing Himself Before Public by Endeavoring to Get His Friend on Ticket With Bryan.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Washington leaders of prominence here have been consulting upon the advisability of nominating William S. Jackson, Attorney-General of New York, for Vice-President on the ticket with William J. Bryan for President.

The suggestion comes from William R. Hearst, and is indorsed by the entire Hearst following. Jackson's name is being put forward with the assurance that his nomination will mean the active loyalty of the Hearst supporters to Bryan.

As prosecuting attorney of Buffalo he led a remarkable fight upon municipal graft, which resulted in his nomination upon the Hearst and Democratic State tickets two years ago.

Since his election as Attorney-General he has been conspicuous as the leader of the legal fight to obtain a recount of the ballots in the disputed Hearst-McClellan Mayoralty contest. He is conducting the popular crusade against the New York City ice trust, and has in hand actions involving the New York traction monopolists and insurance company officials.

HOPE ABANDONED.

DORCHESTER (N. H.) Feb. 23.—Relatives of Capt. W. A. Palmer, a vessel owner of this town, who was an officer on the British ship Alacrita, have abandoned hope that the vessel will be heard from again.

The Alacrita sailed from Delagoa Bay, South Africa, on August 5, 1907, for Hongkong and Baltimore, and, according to advices received here, has not been reported.

TALKS ABOUT WAGES.

E. H. Harriman, not Ready to Retire Yet, Explains Relation Between Capital and Expenses.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—"I don't want to say how long I shall stay in the harness," said E. H. Harriman today, when he was asked if he expected to realize the intention of twelve months ago that he might retire from business in another year. Mr. Harriman said:

"Just now we are hearing about the wage problem. But do the people appreciate that with a given opportunity for the development of business the more we have to pay for capital the less there is to pay for wages? I am not referring to the scale of wages, but to the amount we can spend for wages. And in order to get capital on reasonable terms, we have got to have good credit, and credit must be maintained by surplus earnings. There is the whole thing in a nutshell."

OBITUARY.

Robert Nixon.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Robert Nixon, for fifty years editor of the Yreka Journal, died here today. He was 74 years of age. A year ago he sold his interests at Yreka and came to this city to reside with relatives.

Dr. Johnson Marian Esmerich.

BERLIN, Feb. 23.—Dr. Johann Marian Esmerich, professor of surgery at the University of Kiel, died today, aged 84 years. He entered the army from Henriette of Schleswig-Holstein. He was surgeon-general during the Franco-German War.

Asa Jones.

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 23.—A special to the Oregonian from Albany, Or, says:

"Asa Jones, said to be the oldest member of the G.A.R. in Oregon, died today. He was a native of New York and was 93 years of age. He served in the Civil War in Co. H, Sixteenth Wisconsin Infantry."

Brig.-Gen. Rufus Saxon.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Brig.-Gen. Rufus Saxon, U.S.A., retired, dropped dead here today of heart disease, aged 94 years. He entered the army from Massachusetts in 1855 as a first lieutenant of the Third Artillery, received a Congressional medal for bravery in the defense of Harper's Ferry and was retired April 25, 1904.

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The factory is located in the heart of the town of Corcoran. It is an imposing structure, being five stories high and about the length of a city block. It is constructed entirely of reinforced concrete.

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[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The concession which Col. W. C. Greene of New York obtained from the Federal government several months ago for the erection of a large smelter at Mazatlan, Mex., has been transferred to E. H. Harriman and associates.

It is stated that Mr. Harriman will begin the construction of the smelter at an early date, and that it will be finished by the time the railroad, which he is building down the Pacific Slope, of Mexico reaches Mazatlan.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Victoria, J. A. Barlotti; Continental, H. Bryant; Broadway Central, M. Elias; Breslin, Miss C. M. Ferguson.

AT SAN FRANCISCO HOTELS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Hotel St. Francis, F. J. McGarry, H. H. Hitt, W. E. Thornton, R. T. Dunlap, W. R. Stewart, E. Doolittle.

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MRS. MORGAN ELUDES GAZE.

Quiet Day in Pasadena, Auto Tour Here Today.

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Mrs. J. Pierpont Morgan, wife of the noted New York financier, will make a tour of Los Angeles in automobile today, accompanied by Pasadena and Los Angeles friends and members of the party that arrived with her on her private car Independence, which reached Pasadena Saturday night from Riverside. With her companions, Mrs. Morgan spent the day quietly yesterday at Hotel Raymond, Pasadena, where she is domiciled for her stay of about a week in this vicinity.

Owing to Mrs. Morgan's dislike of notoriety and the gape of the curious, the sightseeing tour in Los Angeles will not be attended with a blare of bugles and a flash of crests on the automobile. Even in the smaller towns she already has visited—San Diego, Coronado, Redlands and Riverside—few have recognized her and she has been able to pursue her own quiet way, apparently enjoying her visit to the fullest.

While at Coronado, Mrs. Morgan was visited by a relative, Miss Cordelia Kirkland of No. 475 Lake street, this city, who came up from San Diego with the party. It is likely that Mrs. Morgan while here will pay a visit to the Kirkland home. A niece of Mr. Morgan, Miss Carrie Morgan, is at Hotel Maryland, Pasadena. She was a guest of Mrs. Morgan at the Glenwood, Riverside.

Upon resuming her journey, Mrs. Morgan will go first to Santa Barbara, thence to Monterey and San José and later to San Francisco.

The Independence, the palatial private car in which Mrs. Morgan travels, was brought to Los Angeles yesterday morning on the Santa Fé and for the present is on a side track at Le Grande station in charge of the steward. Later it will be transferred to the Southern Pacific for the journey northward over that line.

LUXURIOUS CAR.

The sumptuous rolling apartment is the best in the entire Pullman service. It was built expressly for the use of persons who can afford to pay eighteen times the fare of an ordinary individual for the luxury of a private car. So strongly is it constructed that it hardly would be damaged in a collision that would shatter ordinary passenger cars. Its cost was $65,000, and it is said to be the longest car in America, measuring 82 feet from end to end.

The interior finish is in the finest mahogany, delicately inlaid with yellow lines and scrolls, and each of the four drawing-rooms is finished in a different wood.

At the observation end is a delightful room, lighted with electricity, softly filtered through stained glass. The electric current is generated by a motor underneath the car, the power being supplied by the revolutions of the wheels. The observation room is fitted with every contrivance for diversion or entertainment. A card table may serve as a tea table and, presto change, pull out a leaf and you have a writing desk.

Two of the four drawing-rooms are fitted in sumptuous fashion with brass beds, dressing tables and soft oriental hangings. No need for milady to carry an alcohol lamp to heat her curling tongs for a little electric contrivance meets this contingency. Electric fans may be switched on at will. There also is a commodious bathroom.

DINING-ROOM A GEM.

In the center of the car is the dining-room, roomy and beautiful. Tiny closets are set in at the most unexpected places, and in the butler's pantry and the culinary department compactness has been reduced to a science. Cut glass, fine china and handsome linen are included in the dining-room equipment.

The cook's galley is a pocket edition of a French chef's most fastidious requirement. From the floor to the top of the car little shelves and drawers are fitted in like a Chinese puzzle. The very ice boxes have the contact electric attachments and light up when opened. There even is a "downstairs," an apartment underneath the car in which are the gas tanks, air tanks, provision lockers and other conveniences.

One of the treasures already picked up by Mrs. Morgan is a piece of petrified wood, beautifully marked, which she is carrying with her in the car.

The car is in charge of a steward of international reputation, W. J. Kruyt, who has had a picturesque career in many countries, coming into intimate contact with royal personages abroad and notables here. He has brought distinguished parties to Los Angeles twenty-eight times. Last year he traveled with the same car, conveying a prominent financier of France, Baron Noetzlein, on a tour of the United States.

"Willie" James, who is King Edward's intimate friend, and who entertained the new Spanish Queen at a cost of $50,000, has been one of the travelers on this car, also the Duke of Abruzzi, the Earl of Minto, Alfred and Reginald Vanderbilt, and many others.

CHEF A NOTABLE.

Not the least among the interesting personages who travel on this car is George K. Vernon, the chef, who was born in Louisville, Ky., and who is considered one of the greatest negro cooks of the day. He has been at the cooking range for twenty years, and has studied under the best chefs of France, Italy, Germany and Spain. Vernon has catered for the nobility of Europe when they have elected to tour this country, and no monarch of an empire is prouder of his calling than is he.

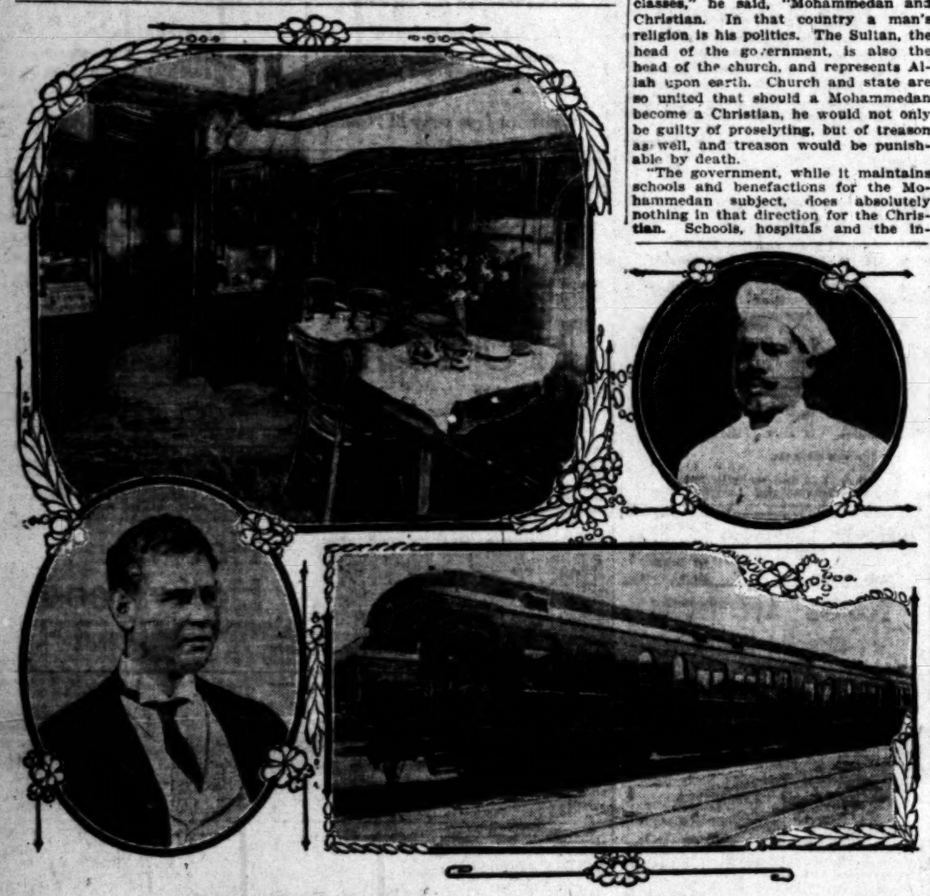
It is said that one of the English notables ate a beautiful white rose that adorned a dish of chicken aspic which Vernon had prepared. The rose was cut from a turnip, and the notable had the indigestion very speedily, but he said the rose was so beautiful he could not help eating it.

"And I told him it was de decorations," said Vernon.

Reginald Vanderbilt won the heart of this Kentucky product most completely. "He is so democratic, the most democratic gentleman I knows," he declared. "He comes out here in my galley, and shakes hand and says, 'Well, George, how are you today?' and we have a good talk."

Vernon had to do with one of the most laughable incidents in the history of New England agriculture. The late Mark Hanna had the car in charter at the time. He planned to entertain a party of farmers at luncheon on the car. It was very hot weather, and a watermelon was put on ice in anticipation of the affair, and a quart of champagne was poured in the center to give it zest.

The farmers ate and enjoyed what they pronounced the most remarkable watermelon they ever had tasted. They declared it should not be the last of its kind, wherefore each agriculturist saved the seeds that he might grow champagne watermelons.



Mrs. J. Pierpont Morgan's Travel Accessories.

Private car "Independence," which was brought to Los Angeles yesterday; a corner of the dainty dining-room; Steward W. J. Kruyte, who has an international reputation in caring for touring notables, and, in white cap, George K. Vernon, negro chef, whose skill as a cook is known well to wealthy tourists who journey by special train or coach.

YOUTHFUL WONDER.

Thirteen-Year-Old Lad Shows Remarkable Knowledge of Hebrew at Confirmation.

One of the interesting affairs in Jewish circles Saturday was the confirmation of Felix, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Jonas, at the temporary synagogue of the Sinai congregation of B'nai B'rith Hall on Pico street. The hall was crowded with relatives and friends.

The boy, aged 13 years, conducted the Sabbath morning services both in Hebrew and English, chanted the Pentateuchal and prophetical portions of the day, expounded the doctrines of Judaism, recited the Ten Commandments in Hebrew and English, and offered a prayer in both languages. At the conclusion, Rabbi Myers addressed the boy in an impressive manner, and offered a prayer in verse.

Among the relatives who came from a distance for the celebration were Mr. and Mrs. D. Jonas and family of Santa Cruz, J. S. Jones of San Bernardino and Mmes. S. M. Cohan and P. H. Cohan of San Francisco.

In the audience were prominent citizens, including Mayor Harper. After the service, a dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Levy, No. 1247 South Hope street, at which Rabbi and Mrs. Hirsh and Rabbi and Mrs. Isidore Myers were present. Sunday afternoon a reception in honor of the confirmant was held at the residence of the boy, who was the recipient of numerous gifts.

TELLS OF FAR LANDS.

Traveler and Missionary Gives Talk on "Syria and Its People" at Immanuel Church.

S. C. Gilman, who has long been associated with American missionary work in the Holy Land, and who has been lecturing in America on "Life in the Far East," is making a number of addresses in the churches ow this city on the work of the missionaries in Palestine and Syria.

At the young people's meeting in Immanuel Presbyterian Church yesterday afternoon, he spoke of "Syria and Its People."

"The people are divided into two classes," he said, "Mohammedan and Christian. In that country a man's religion is his politics. The Sultan, the head of the government, is also the head of the church, and represents Allah upon earth. Church and state are so united that should a Mohammedan become a Christian, he would not only be guilty of proselyting, but of treason as well, and treason would be punishable by death.

"The government, while it maintains schools and benefactions for the Mohammedan subject, does absolutely nothing in that direction for the Christian. Schools, hospitals and the institutions that exist for the benefit of the Christians are all maintained by outside forces—by the missionaries from Europe and England and America.

"The Americans have established a college at Peirut for young men, a school for girls and a large printing establishment, where books and periodicals are published in the language of the people."

On Tuesday evening Mr. Gilman will deliver an illustrated lecture in Berean Hall, Temple Auditorium, on "Syria and the Holy Land," showing many views obtained by him in those countries. "The Holy City," illustrated by stereopticon views, will be sung by Mr. Gregg of the Temple Baptist Church choir. The lecture will be free, but an offering will be taken at the close. The lecture is under the auspices of the Baptist Young People's Union of the church.

GUEST FROM BUENOS AYRES.

Tells of Fleet's Welcome in That City and Says Voyage Is Object Lesson to Republics.

W. R. Goodby, of Buenos Ayres, who witnessed that city's welcome of Admiral Evans and his fleet, arrived here yesterday, accompanied by H. C. Ives of Bridgeport, Ct. He states that the entire populace joined in the celebration planned by the civil and military authorities.

He believes that the voyage of the battleships is a great object lesson to the South American republics, which have never before seen so large a fleet under one flag.

Goodby is a guest at the Alexandria. He may be here when Angeleños entertain the fleet's officers and men.

INTO DEATH'S JAWS.

OVERBOARD; SAVED IS YOUNG LUMMIS.

SAVED by the narrowest miss from a watery grave, Jordan Lummis, 8-year-old son of City Librarian Charles F. Lummis, was taken from the waters of San Pedro harbor Saturday.

The father, who was accompanied by his two sons, chartered a launch run by Carl Jorgensen and went for an afternoon trip about the outer harbor breakwater. Jordan played too near the boat's edge and, while the craft was moving at full speed, fell overboard.

Capt. Jorgensen brought the launch about as quickly as possible and meantime the boy, who could not swim, was alone in the water at a considerable distance from the boat.

Somehow the youngster remained at the surface till the launch returned and Capt. Jorgensen with a boathook caught the lad by the clothing and pulled him into the boat.

The boy was unconscious and his respiration was apparently suspended. While the launch steamed at full speed to an inner harbor landing agonized efforts were made to renew his breathing.

This drew a crowd to the dock. With tense interest the people gathered on the wharf and watched the efforts to revive the still unconscious boy. After a while the struggle proved successful and, when it was known that respiration was renewed and that the lad had regained consciousness, there was great cheering. The boy was attended by Dr. S. W. Reynolds of San Pedro and was afterward pronounced out of danger. Yesterday he was reported little the worse for his briny ducking and narrow escape.

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PERSONAL.

Lou F. Haber, a resident of Kobe, Japan, is a guest at the Alexandria.

Emilio Suarez, a cigar manufacturer from Tampa, Fla., is at the Alexandria.

Elmore Willitts and party of Belmont, N. Y., are registered at the Angelus.

John J. Ross of San Francisco is visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Tener, No. 355 Edgeware road.

Mr. and Mrs. Prager of Seattle, who are touring California, arrived here yesterday and are at the Alexandria.

Miss Anna Johnson, who has been visiting the family of Capt. J. H. Folks, No. 1120 Douglas street, has returned to her home.

Carl Smith, a Redlands orange grower; C. D. Handerman, a merchant from Banning, and A. E. Southworth, a mining man from Rawhide, are registered at the Hollenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Ruth, a bridal couple from Omaha, Neb., are registered at the Westminster. They are accompanied by Miss Birdie Ross, a relative from Ogden, Utah.

S. H. Friendly, former Mayor of Eugene, Or., and now regent of the University of Oregon, is enjoying an outing in Los Angeles. He is registered at Hotel Leighton and will remain several days.

Robert Abernethy and family of Aberdeen, Scotland, and guests at the Westminster. They are traveling leisurely through the United States and expect to remain in this section for the remainder of the winter.

R. J. Kerr, a mining man of the City of Mexico; J. K. Campbell of the government Forest Service; L. W. David, a Seattle real estate broker, and Judge R. E. Bledsoe of San Bernardino, are at the Hollenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Prouty and Mrs. E. Wilson of Des Moines, Ia., are guests at the Lankershim. Mr. Prouty is a prominent capitalist. The party has been at Coronado for several months and expects to remain in this city until spring.

WOMAN WANTED.

"Dark Complected" Man at Las Vegas Asks Chief of Police to Find Him Wife.

Harry Johnson of Las Vegas, Nev., has written to Chief of Police Kern for aid in finding a young woman matrimonially inclined, who would appreciate the loving care of a husband, who, at the present time, is 29 years old and dark complected. Further details are lacking except that Johnson is getting $3 a day, with hopes of a job switching in the railroad at $125 a month.

The applicant for a wife draws up no specifications, depending on the Chief of Police to pick out the "wright woman." This is the letter as written:

"LAS VEGAS (Nev.)—Chief Police, Los Angeles—Dear Sir: I understand there are some Lady's there that want to get married if you know of any I wish you would tell them there is a chance. I am here getting $3 a day and am going switching here in the yard inside of a month and that will be $125 a month. I am tired of single life and will give the wright woman a good home. I am 29 years old and dark complected. Hopeing to hear from you soon

"I remain yours Res.
[Signed] "HARRY JOHNSON."

Chief Kern filed the application, awaiting time when some young woman shall apply to him for a mate.

IN FAVOR OF CHINESE.

Modification of Exclusion Act Urged at Mass Meeting—Minister Advocates Brotherly Spirit.

A mass meeting was held at the First Methodist Church, last evening, to consider the modification of the Chinese exclusion act. Reynold E. Blight presided and Rev. Hugh K. Walker made an address, in the course of which he said:

"I am filled with shame when I reflect upon the manner in which this country is treating the Chinese, for of all our immigrants, they are the best laborers.

"In another generation China will be the greatest English-speaking nation in the world, and we shall then be proud of her fellowship. The matter of exclusion must be settled in a brotherly spirit, and not with cruelty, as in the past. Let us show our law-makers what we want, and we will get it. Let Christian principles be paramount and politics be relegated to second place.

"Go home and write to your Congressman that you want the exclusion act amended. Let them receive a carload of letters upon this subject."

Attorney Yager followed Dr. Walker.

HEAD CAMP EVENT.

Woodmen of World Planning for a Unique Initiation on Arrival of Chief Officers.

A great event for local Woodmen of the World will be the initiation ceremony which will be conducted during the coming visit of the officers of the head camp of the order. At this initiation all the chairs will be filled by officers of the head camp and the candidates taken in will have the honor of being the first to receive their degrees from the head officers, no initiation ever having been held before with head camp officers in all of the chairs.

The approaching visit of the head camp will be a great festival for the members of local camps and elaborate plans are under way for their entertainment.

La Fiesta Camp, the largest in Southern California, is planning to give a "smoker" this evening at the hall in Mercantile Place. A boxing exhibition and other interesting features have been provided for the programme. The plans for the entertainment of the head camp officers will also be discussed.

JUVENILE COURT TALK.

The origin of the Juvenile Court, and its work in Los Angeles, will be discussed at a meeting scheduled for 3 o'clock next Friday afternoon at Hotel Pintoresca, Pasadena. The speakers will be W. S. Harbert of Pasadena, a former Chicagoan, and Judge Curtis D. Wilbur of Los Angeles. An invitation has been extended to all who are interested in the movement.

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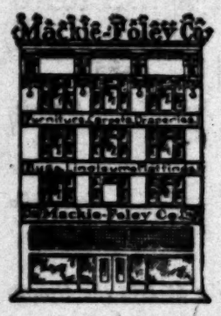

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EAST SAN PEDRO PROJECT

The Pacific Wharf and Storage C pany is making good progress with improvement work at East San P The length of its present comp breakwater is 3843 feet, filled heavy granite rock to a height fourteen and one-half feet above low water. The rock used in the struction is from the same quarri that being supplied on the giant b water in course of construction i outer harbor. Over $150,000 has al been expended upon the construc of the bulkhead alone. The dist yet to be finished is 940 feet. A thirty acres have been reclaimed tween the bulkhead of the P Wharf and Storage Company an single row of jetty work on the side of the inner harbor. The dis between the two bulkheads is 115 The full area to be reclaimed eighty acres. The length of the claimed area is 4000 feet with an age width of 1200 feet. Including ships' slips, from the inner harb the reclaimed area, the cost of the provement will aggregate $550,000 proposed slips will be 950 feet lon feet wide and will have a depth mean low water of thirty feet to form with the depth of the chann the inner harbor now being dredg the government. On the east or side of the bulkhead there is a of from fourteen to seventeen fe water which will probably be dre or else will likely be extended for accommodation of shallow draft sels.

At the upper end of the inner h the United States dredger San is working continuously deepen turning basin. About 9000 cubic of material are being removed This debris is conveyed for over a and deposited on the fill of the P Wharf and Storage Company, wh aid of an auxiliary pumping statio is estimated that it will take two to complete the turning basin.

BREAKWATER PROGRESS

The work of building a giant b water in the outer harbor of San P to guard against southeast storms to provide both a harbor of comm and a refuge has been going st on for six years. The total amoun propriated by Congress for this was $2,900,000. Within eighteen m it is expected that this gigantic p will have been completed. The or length of the seawall as designed 4500 feet but this was afterward tended to 5000 feet. Work is now pushed on the 350-foot extension other end of the seawall. Piling been driven on the extension fo feet and the substruction has been ried out for about the same distan the extension. In the month of ary 12,000 tons of rock were placed the substructure and superstruc Piling of exceptional length and s are necessary on the extension o the depth of water and the force sea. A consignment of 200 piling ing in length from 85 to 110 feet h cently been received by the contra These piling are considered the that ever came across a wharf a Pedro.

Work upon the Huntington mol the Miner fill in the outer h which has been temporarily susp will be resumed in a short time completion of these projects wil materially to wharfage facilities outer harbor.

ALIGHTED TOO SOON.

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In addition to the building of the slip at Timm's Point the Southern Pacific Company will make an extension from its present wharfage terminus across Timm's Point for a distance of 1000 feet, at an approximate cost of $150,000, which will furnish 100,000 square feet of valuable additional wharfage on the inner harbor. The material for this work is already on the ground.

EAST SAN PEDRO PROJECT.

The Pacific Wharf and Storage Company is making good progress with its improvement work at East San Pedro. The length of its present completed breakwater is 3642 feet, filled with heavy granite rock to a height of fourteen and one-half feet above mean low water. The rock used in the construction is from the same quarries as that being supplied on the giant breakwater in course of construction in the outer harbor. Over $150,000 has already been expended upon the construction of the bulkhead alone. The distance yet to be finished is 940 feet. About thirty acres have been reclaimed between the bulkhead of the Pacific Wharf and Storage Company and the single row of jetty work on the east side of the inner harbor. The distance between the two bulkheads is 1150 feet, the full area to be reclaimed being eighty acres. The length of the reclaimed area is 4000 feet with an average width of 1200 feet. Including three ships' slips, from the inner harbor to the reclaimed area, the cost of the improvement will aggregate $350,000. The proposed slips will be 950 feet long, 200 feet wide and will have a depth at mean low water of thirty feet to conform with the depth of the channel of the inner harbor now being dredged by the government. On the east or ocean side of the bulkhead there is a depth of from fourteen to seventeen feet of water which will probably be dredged, or else will likely be extended for the accommodation of shallow draft vessels.

At the upper end of the inner harbor the United States dredger San Pedro is working continuously dredging the turning basin. About 9000 cubic yards of material are being removed daily. This debris is conveyed for over a mile and deposited on the fill of the Pacific Wharf and Storage Company, with the aid of an auxiliary pumping station. It is estimated that it will take two years to complete the turning basin.

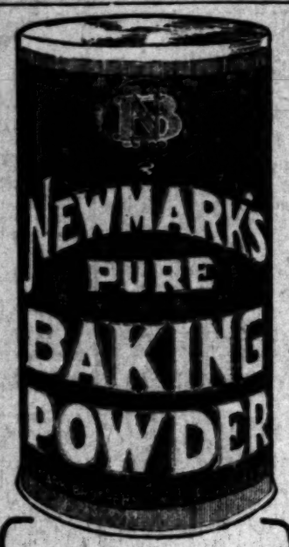
BREAKWATER PROGRESS.

The work of building a giant breakwater in the outer harbor of San Pedro to guard against southeast storms and to provide both a harbor of commerce and a refuge has been going steadily on for six years. The total amount appropriated by Congress for this work was $2,500,000. Within eighteen months it is expected that this gigantic project will have been completed. The original length of the seawall as designed was 5000 feet but this was afterwards extended to 9000 feet. Work is now being pushed on the 900-foot extension on the other end of the seawall. Piling have been driven on the extension for 150 feet and the substruction has been carried out for about the same distance on the extension. In the month of January 12,000 tons of rock were placed upon the substructure and superstructure. Piling of exceptional length and quality are necessary on the extension due to the depth of water and the force of the sea. A consignment of 200 piling varying in length from 85 to 110 feet has recently been received by the contractors. These piling are considered the best that ever came across a wharf at San Pedro.

Work upon the Huntington mole and the Miner fill in the outer harbor, which has been temporarily suspended will be resumed in a short time. The completion of these projects will add materially to wharfage facilities in the outer harbor.

ALIGHTED TOO SOON.

F. M. Roselle, a carpenter, was thrown to the ground last night when he stepped from a moving Grand-avenue car at Twelfth street and Grand avenue. His left arm was fractured and two ribs broken. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital.



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Church Problems.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 22.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Referring to the letter of E. W. B. in The Times of a few days ago about "Sittings in Church," I appreciate the spirit of the same, but suggest as the result of my experience as an usher that it is difficult to get the aged and crippled as such to occupy designated pews, no matter how eligible they may be.

The ushers should be, and generally are, wise and kind, and the public willing to comply with all such rules and regulations in church matters as will favor the aged, crippled, poor, etc. I notice, however, that in some of the popular free-seat churches many persons who arrive first plant themselves at the ends of the pews, thus requiring all who come later to climb over them, whether they are "old and crippled" or otherwise. If the head usher would announce a rule requiring those who come first to take the center of the pew or row of seats, and enforce the rule, the people would cheerfully comply with it, as it is the golden rule of "doing unto others as we would have them do to us." Also upon entering a pew or row of seats it is the rule to keep the face toward the pulpit or stage, as the case may be, thus making it more convenient for all.

Of course the efficient usher will always provide front seats for the aged and all those who have "failing sight and dull hearing." The intelligent and efficient usher of a church is a most important factor and his services are, so far as I know, without financial remuneration. J. R. L.

COLORED BRETHREN SUBSCRIBE.

Bishop Hamilton Raises Money for Payment of Debts of Wesley Methodist Chapel.

Bishop Hamilton devoted his entire attention yesterday to raising funds for Wesley Methodist Chapel (colored,) and at the three services which he conducted, secured subscriptions amounting to $731.75. The money will be used to pay debts, including the quarterly interest on the church mortgage.

The bishop preached a strong sermon at the chapel last night, on the necessity of taking advantage of every opportunity for spreading the gospel of Christ. His text was, "Salvation is of the Jews." He explained that the gospel was given by God to the Jews that through them it might be disseminated to the world at large.

"God saw fit to redeem the world through the agency of man," continued the preacher. "He might have sent angels to do the work but he did not. He might have come in person and have driven sin and suffering from our lives, but he preferred that we should receive salvation at the hands of our brother men. Those of us who are privileged to receive the word of God should consider it a sacred duty to pass it on to some less favored brother.

"Do not leave all of the work to the preacher. You have as great a duty to God as has he, and you must not think that he can release you from the God-given task of spreading salvation throughout the world."

DELIGHTED WITH CLIMATE.

Italian Doctor Arrives and Will Probably Be Given Reception by His Countrymen.

Dr. Aldo Crespi, of Milan, Italy, arrived in Los Angeles yesterday and secured apartments at the Alexandria. He expects to remain in this part of the State for several weeks. During his visit, members of the Italian colony will probably give a reception in his honor.

He says he is delighted with Southern California, which reminds him strongly of his native land. On his way west, he encountered a blizzard and had a very uncomfortable experience.

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TIMELY TOPICS

REGARDING CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

NEGLECTED COLDS

GOOD ADVICE TO WISE WOMEN AND PRUDENT MEN.

"Don't trifle with a cold," is good advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in the case of a child. Proper food, good ventilation, and dry, warm clothing are the proper safeguards against colds. If they are maintained through the changeable weather of Autumn, Winter and Spring, the chances of a surprise from ordinary colds will be slight. But the ordinary light cold will become severe if neglected, and a well-established, ripe cold is to the germ of diphtheria what honey is to the bee. The greatest menace to child-life is the neglected cold. Whether it is a child or adult, the cold slight or severe, the very best treatment that can be adopted is to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is safe and sure. The great popularity and immense sale of this medicine have been attained by its remarkable cure; of this ailment. A cold never results in pneumonia when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given.

LA GRIPPE

PHYSICAL AND MENTAL AGONY.

LACK OF SYMPATHY.

Before we can sympathize with others we must have suffered ourselves. No one can realize the suffering attendant on an attack of la grippe unless he has had the actual experience. There is probably no disease that causes so much physical and mental agony, or which so successfully defies medical aid. All dear from la grippe, however, may be avoided by the prompt use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Severe Attack of Grippe Cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Colonel Cornelius P. Cole, a well-known and much respected citizen of Appanoose county, Iowa, now past 70 years of age, who came to Iowa with his wife over fifty years ago, says, "Myself and wife were both soundly cured of severe and stubborn attacks of grippe last winter by using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is a wonderful remedy and we never wish to be without it."

CROUP

MUST CHECK DISEASE AT THE START.

Don't neglect the first symptoms of croup in your child. This hoarseness and croupy cough are often overlooked by persons not acquainted with the disease, and sometimes not heeded by those that know the danger signal. Thousands of infant children die yearly of croup. Every one of these innocents could have been saved had Chamberlain's Cough Remedy been given in time. The time wasted in sending for a physician or for medicine when a child shows symptoms of croup often proves fatal. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should always be kept in the house for immediate use. Remember, it will prevent an attack if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is safe and sure. Contains no narcotics. Always cures. It is the mother's favorite cough remedy in all parts of the world.

HOARSENESS

HOW CAUSED AND WHEN DANGEROUS.

Hoarseness, or roughness of voice, arises from several causes. The most common is when the mucus is allowed to collect on the vocal cords. This is dangerous, for unless the mucus is removed it is most likely to become a hotbed of disease, and will develop into some serious chronic throat or lung complaint. A small dose of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will work wonders. Not only does it at once clear away the mucus, but also assists Nature to strengthen the vocal cords, and make the accumulation less likely to occur. The mere fact that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is free from all narcotics makes it the best to use in all cases of hoarseness. Another common cause of hoarseness is the swelling or looseness of the vocal cords. This is generally caused by sudden exposure or by protracted public speaking. This phase is often called "clergyman's hoarseness." The soothing properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy act most beneficially in such cases, and by soothing any inflamed cords, soon enables them to resume a natural condition.

BRONCHITIS

WHAT IT IS AND WHAT TO DO.

This is only another name for a severe cold in the chest. In its commencement it is attended with cough, hoarseness, more or less pain, soreness of the throat and lungs, expectoration of mucus, sometimes mixed with blood, tightness about the chest or throat, a difficulty in breathing. In its last stages, high fever and night sweats prevail. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the medicine for this disease. It at once relieves the cough, eases the pain, removes the difficulty in breathing, and by producing a free and easy expectoration, subdues the inflammation." Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is soothing and healing. It is always the common neglected cold that causes the trouble. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy at the first indication of the cough or cold, and thus avoid any serious complications.

ONE INSTANCE.

"As long ago as I can remember my mother was a faithful user and friend of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, but never in my life have I realized its true value until now," writes Prof. H. A. Howell of Howell's American School, Havana, Cuba. "On the night of February 3rd our baby was taken sick with a very severe cold, the next day was worse and the following night his condition was desperate. He could not lie down and it was necessary to have him in the arms every moment. Even then his breathing was difficult. I did not think he would live until morning. At last I thought of my mother's remedy, Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which we gave, and it afforded prompt relief, and now, three days later, he has fully recovered. Under the circumstances I would not hesitate a moment in saying that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and that only, saved the life of our dear little boy."

PNEUMONIA

THE CAUSES, AND HOW TO PREVENT.

Old people and those who have weak lungs cannot be too careful in guarding against this disease. Pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of influenza, and can be prevented by the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. A great many people who have had every reason to fear pneumonia have warded it off by the prompt use of this remedy.

WHOOPING COUGH

SYMPTOMS, AND ITS DANGERS.

Whooping cough is a very dangerous disease unless treated properly. Statistics show that there are more deaths from it than from scarlet fever. You cannot mistake the symptoms—protracted coughing, worse at night—peculiar sound or whoop—labored expectoration of mucus—apparent suffocation after coughing. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy at once, repeating the dose frequently. The quick relief afforded by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy makes it a favorite with mothers of small children. It liquifies the tough mucus, making it easier to expectorate, keeps the cough loose, and counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. This remedy has been used in many epidemics of whooping cough, and always with perfect success. There is no danger whatever from the disease when it is freely given. It contains nothing injurious, and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult.

DIPHTHERIA

RESULTS FROM A NEGLECTED COLD.

One often hears the expression, "My child caught a severe cold, which developed into diphtheria," when the truth was that the cold had simply left the little one partially susceptible to the wandering diphtheria germ. When Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given, it not only cures the cold, but greatly lessens the danger of diphtheria or any other germ disease being contracted. There is no danger in giving this remedy, as it contains no opium or other harmful drug, and may be given to a baby as confidently as to an adult.

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Poppies on the uplands,
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What we like about the meadow lark is the fact that, knowing how to sing, he keeps on doing it.

Between the rain and the sun the way young onions are growing is enough to take a man's breath away.

Fighting Bob is still under the weather, but fortunately the weather where he is at is not the worst in the world.

When the Peruvians offered toasts to our sailors they also saw that something to wash the toast down was not lacking.

From $20,000,000 to the good to about $4,000,000 in the hole in the short space of a year was going some even for Mr. Morse.

Mr. Bryan is not known as a baseball fan, but he is destined to have impressed on him that three strikes puts a runner out.

Henry Rogers and Mark Twain make an interesting team. Henry manages Mark's finances and Mark manages Henry's state of mind.

Instead of Peruvian barks, the fleet has found Peruvian welcome and the love that one sister republic should have for another.

It seems that Europe has merely had a shudder and has decided to take another look at the big guns before making use of them.

Being something of a wit himself, it may yet be suspected that Henry Rogers is the real author of some of Mark Twain's best jokes.

Things are looking better every minute; therefore what you are to do is to quit sighing, quit crying and see that you get in it.

Farmers now have telephones in their homes and still they seem to be as happy as they were in the old days when they led the simple life.

Chile has decided to enter largely in the canning business. No doubt this will also lead to the canning of a few of the surplus revolutionists.

What with the efforts that prosperity is making itself, and the assistance it is receiving from its friends, its restoration will soon be quite complete.

The Democratic State Committee of California has indorsed Bryan, but this does not necessarily say that the Democrats of the State have indorsed him.

The man who eats hearty breakfasts lives the longest provided he puts in eight hours of solid sleep before he sits down to tackle his ham and eggs.

The banks of Los Angeles have given renewed assurances in their latest public statements that the people have the best of reasons to be proud of them.

Pretty soon the fad will be to take excursions along the Owens River aqueduct to view the scenery and Bill Mulholland's men throwing out the dirt.

California will soon bear the appearance of an armed camp, but the guns shall be wreathed with roses and the sword hilts hung with the blossoms of peace.

In other words, Mr. Harriman desires it to be understood that he will remain on the job until he is reasonably satisfied that the job can take care of itself.

The grand old veterans of the great war are furnishing every evidence that they are still in the ring without the slightest idea of getting out of it. Here's to them!

The South and the West will be solid for Taft in the convention. Then, with a reasonable chunk of the North, there can't be much to the fight but a ballot or two.

It does not seem that it could hurt a man much to be stung by a Democratic Presidential bee, and yet there are those who will say that Mr. Bryan is all swelled up.

It is strange that a man like Mark Twain, who lived in California and knows what it is, should prefer to spend his winters in an old onion patch like the Bermuda Islands.

Fighting Bob should not despair. He will find that one week of California sunshine is a better cure for rheumatism than a ship's load of St. Jacob's oil and that kind of truck.

It must be said for Stuyvesant Fish, however, that if the thing could have been fought out with fists in the good, old-fashioned way, he wouldn't have been so badly beaten.

Sooner than waste his life in a greedy and unspiritual effort to stack up unnecessary wealth, a man might better go down to Magdalena Bay and let himself be used for a target.

We trust that Citizen James J. Jeffries is prepared to put his best boxing men to the front. He is to remember that the exhibitions are not to be solely for the benefit of the marines.

The farmers of the United States have already begun to worry again, the worry just now being occasioned by the problem of handling next summer's crops, which are to be enormous.

Those who have the idea that every candidate for office is a politician frequently labor under a false impression. Very often the politicians are careful to select a man as the candidate who knows nothing about politics, in order that they may the more easily use him after he is elected.

WHITEWASH DOESN'T STICK.

That copious coating of whitewash applied to themselves by the members of the Los Angeles Civil Service Commission has been rubbed off in large and flaring spots by the statement of Capt. Charles Kiener, for a long time the pet examiner of the board, who uncovers the secrets of this little machine.

This is a serious matter. The Civil Service Commission was created for the purpose of keeping out of municipal business in Los Angeles the very things that Capt. Kiener declares it practices—favoritism and petty politics. The supposed aim in life of a civil service commission is to see that employés of the city in its various departments are selected for fitness for the work they are to do and by a system wherein merit is the only test. Before we had a civil service commission favorites got jobs, friends were provided for and enemies were punished by those holding a "little brief authority." The civil service board was expected to give the quietus to all that sort of thing; but Capt. Kiener avers over his signature that members of the commission have contracted the disease that they have advertised to cure, in the body politic.

It is true that Capt. Kiener is a dismissed employé of the board and that its members think they are entitled to all the calcimine they spread over themselves at the request of "Doc." Haynes. There are two sides to the question that is now assuming so much importance. But Capt. Kiener must be credited with a knowledge of the facts, at any rate. He was an insider of insiders. His charges are explicit and have the ring of sincerity. They cannot be lightly passed over.

It would seem to be the duty of the Mayor to promote a rigid and fearless investigation of the Civil Service Commission, and to come down like a thousand of brick on any evil methods which may be practiced at present. If half of what Keiner says is true, those who have been tricked out of their deserts through favoritism or stacking the cards, have a grievance and will be likely to seek redress from the city. Go to the bottom of the scandal, Mr. Mayor—with a sharp stick, not with a whitewash brush!

LIKE KNIGHTS OF OLD.

If the rank and file of the Republican party become so swollen with pride that their hats will have to be stretched they must not be blamed. Lochinvar was nowhere in knightly courtesy compared with these big men of ours who are seeking to lead the party to victory. They have set up a new standard of chivalry which has eclipsed Bayard himself, however void of fear and spotless of reproach that ancient knight may have been.

Taft wires to New York, "Let Gov. Hughes have the State delegation." Gov. Hughes is asked to speak at Chicago and he makes it a condition precedent that nothing is to be done in Illinois to put a straw before the wheels of Speaker Cannon's triumphal chariot in that State.

There is the very spirit of chivalry and it gives sure ground of hope that whatever be the result of the convention at Chicago next July, the party will march to the polls in a solid phalanx in November. As the days pass Taft looms up higher and higher above all competitors who refuse to be rivals. Should any untoward emergency arise in the next few months to put a different face on things, there will be nothing done to create irreconcilable hostilities in the party. Nothing can happen to deprive the party of a leader well worthy of all confidence and sure to be the choice of the people.

If we miss our Roland we shall have our Oliver. If the Bayard does not lead us, some noble Lochinvar will be on hand. The big elephant will not lack a rider who will meet all the expectations of the people.

A MUCH MALIGNED PATRIOT.

The simple and unaffected people who make up the Great American Public are always getting buncoed. They are so easy. Somebody gave them the impression that President Roosevelt sent the battleship fleet to the Pacific Coast just as a quiet hint to "whom it may concern" that Uncle Sam was not asleep, but on the contrary, was ready to "draw" or to dance, or as Rear-Admiral Evans put it, "to frolic or fight." It turns out, however, that the whole continent has been wilfully misled by somebody. The announcement is now made that the "voyage was due to Tveitmoe." It was a happy circumstance that this information has been made known prior to the arrival of the fleet here. The Los Angeles committee which has in charge the arrangement for the entertainment of the officers and men will now be able to invite to the ceremonies here the man to whom we shall owe the presence of the fleet.

Of course complaint may be made that owing to the secrecy connected with Tveitmoe's preëminence in this voyage of the armada the time is now too short to enable a change of programme to be made and for the addition of features which will adequately honor the services of the high and mighty prince of labor-unionism. It is indeed most unfortunate that the North American Asiatic Exclusion League should have waited till now to acquaint us with the fact—at least it says it is a fact—that Tveitmoe is the responsible party and not President Roosevelt as we so foolishly imagined.

The league excuses itself by remarking that it only tumbled across the great truth at its recent meeting in Seattle and even then it had some difficulty in getting Tveitmoe to admit the vast service he has rendered to his country, or rather not his country but the land he afflicts by his presence. We are certainly much obliged to the North American Asiatic Exclusion League—what a mouthful—for letting us know of this wonderful action on the part of the Norwegian. Somehow or other we had come to consider Tveitmoe not as a pure-minded patriot but as a coarse labor union leader of the worst San Francisco type, a blusterer, a bully and a boaster, one of the leeches who fastened to the corrupt Schmitz city government. We gained this seemingly erroneous idea through his doings in connection with the street car strike in the north, when he remarked, "We must win this strike if we have to wade through rivers of blood," and followed up the words with actions. The best of us make mistakes sometimes and really Tveitmoe did give us the impression of being a bloodthirsty ruffian. But seeing that the North American Asiatic Exclusion League, of which he is president, rates him as the equal of Washington as a patriot and holds him up to our admiring eyes as the personification of all the virtues, we are bound to believe that we have made an erroneous estimation of a great and noble Norwegian. In extenuation of our lamentable mistake we can only put forward the feeble plea that Tveitmoe played the part of a blackguard so perfectly that he hoodwinked us into believing that he really was one.

THE WORLD WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTE.

If there is a Capt. Cuttle in the navy of any nation on earth he will be pleased to sit up and take notice and when done "make a note of it."

The tars of all nations will please be impressed by the record made by our gunners at Magdalena Bay. A target 12x20 feet, checkered black and white, is not so big as a ship of war, but these gunners shot through the bit of canvas nearly four times out of every five shots in the case of one ship. The worst gunners sent more than half their shots home.

Had a battleship been the target not a shot would have missed. The distance was about a mile and in a sea fight the Yankee tars will get as close as that to an enemy if they have any of the spirit of Paul Jones, Decatur, Farragut, Schley or Dewey in them.

It is now clear enough that the late financial flurry was caused mainly by the financial hurry.

"FLEETING MOMENTS!"

THE PERSIAN GULF PROBLEM.

Every day that has passed since the commencement of the Euphrates Valley Railway, the Persian gulf problem has increased in importance. For over a century Great Britain has been actively policing this pirate-haunted region, making these waters free and secure for universal trade. In this respect she has always stood alone, but with the passing of time enormous changes in the political geography of Asia and the Persian Gulf have come about. The lines along which this Persian problem might be solved, with safety to the British Empire and to India in particular, were plainly indicated in 1899, when it was then declared that the position of England in the Persian Gulf was peculiar; that she had privileges as well as responsibilities; and that she would permit no other nation to establish naval bases in those inclosed waters. In 1904 Lord Lansdowne reaffirmed this British policy in the Gulf.

The Bannerman government now seems to have modified this policy. Nothing has apparently been done to secure England's command of the Gulf, while her advantages have been practically lost. Russia, Turkey and Germany have been permitted to foster interests in the regions edging this water. Turkey has been allowed to extend her misrule over independent territory, the neutrality of which is essential to the neutrality of the Persian Gulf. She has even claimed El Katar and has intrigued for islands within the Gulf itself. Germany has shown remarkable interest and activity in Persia, and the Persian Gulf. The working of the plan that gave her trade and territory in the South Seas and China has already been made manifest in the Middle East, and she is yearly growing stronger in a region where five years back her black-banded flag was unknown.

The late Anglo-Russian agreement deliberately omitted all mention of the Persian Gulf question, and reduced the strength of Great Britain in Persia. The rights of England in the Gulf may eventually be recognized and upheld, but so far little or no evidence of the maintenance of that peculiar position is apparent. German lines of railway creep downwards towards Persia and the Gulf from Asia Minor; the independence of the Trucial chiefs is menaced, and the integrity of the Perso-Arabic littoral violated. Great Britain seems dormant and apparently is making no effort to acquire command over the terminals of these lines, or to insure against the possibility of a strong place of arms, or even a naval base, being established at the head of the gulf by a foreign power.

It must be borne in mind that it is not the desire of Great Britain to make the Persian Gulf a British lake; but since she has for years single-handed kept the Gulf open to the trade of the world, she considers herself entitled to special consideration and reward for the work. This reward must consist, apart from the securing of fair and equitable opportunities for trade, in insuring that the Gulf, which forms a portion of what may be termed the glacis of India, shall never become a source of danger to the Coast of India.

Now that Asiatics, and Hindus in particular, are being incited to open rebellion by sneaking Japanese who have the entrée into Hindustan (thanks to the now distasteful Anglo-Japanese agreement) the Persian Gulf must of necessity be kept neutral.

"DREAM OF HE'VEN."

Eight working hours, just now, looks like a dream of he'ven,
But some fine day, not fer away, the dream'll call for seven.
Seven working hours a day; then boss can easy fix
His prices high, so by-en-by we kin git off with six.
Six working hours a day; why laudy sakes alive,
Now what th' duse kin be the use of working more than five?
Five hours to work; that's fine and proper to be sure;
At this here rate our delegate kin work 'em down to four.
Four working hours a day, and then we are all through;
But truth to tell, we might as well cut it down to two.

—[British Printer.

HOROSCOPE FOR

Monday, February 24, 1908.

In the brown earth this day there lies a key
To lead the seeker where its treasures be.

This is the fifty-fifth day of the year, moon's age twenty-two days. The moon is in her last quarter, and Saturn is in benefic aspect with it.

Power and fortune lie in getting into touch with the soil and things of the soil. Buying or selling land, planning, building, ordering alterations in houses or making them, deciding on spring garden plots, and prospecting for water supply, are all under a lucky star.

A lucky day for hiring maids.

"A lucky day for little machines." It should bring prosperity to typewriters and seamstresses.

The woman whose birthdate this is must beware of a quarrel with a man. August will bring her a great pleasure.

The man whse birthdate this is will be sorely tempted to undertake a large risk. His affairs will need much wisdom and management. Success lies at the end of the rightly-chosen path.

The girl born today will prove the leader in a great emergency.

The boy born this day will be energetic and persevering. He will have a long fight before he finally attains his ends.

HOW "REFERENDUM" HAS WORKED OUT IN OREGON.

Has Given Power to Cranks and Faddists, Upset Society, Discouraged Progress and Injured the State.

The Times is gratified to note that the Portland Oregonian has seen another great light. This, by long odds the greatest and most influential newspaper in Oregon, has hitherto acquiesced in the revolutionary programme which has deprived Oregon of the American, republican form of government. It has seen good in the "referendum," the "initiative" and the other socialistic panaceas. It loyally joined in the movement in which the State allowed itself to be swept from constitutional moorings.

But now, after a few years of practical experience with the "initiative"-"referendum" device, the Oregonian is compelled to acknowledge that it has proven a sorry experience for the State—that it has put control in the hands of cranks and agitators, that it has interfered with the orderly progress of society, that it has been prolific of abuses, that it has practically abolished constitution and law, and that it has been a great damage to Oregon.

The recital in the Oregonian of what has actually come to pass sounds strangely like what The Times prophesied as unavoidable. The Oregonian's heartfelt denunciation of the "referendum" (and the "initiative" too) after this bitter dose of actual experience, is more severe than aught The Times has ever published in its long and earnest campaign against these twin evils.

We reproduce the candid and convincing editorial of the Oregonian, as follows:

"That both initiative and referendum, within proper limits, might be useful, was the belief of large numbers who joined in voting for their adoption, yet who did not foresee that they would fall into the hands of faddists, sophisters, schemers, doctrinaires of all sorts, who would appeal to them against representative government and methods of ordinary legislation. They were adopted under the impression that they were to be the medicine of the constitution, cautiously administered when occasion might require; not its daily bread.

"Of course they are revolutionary. They violate the very principles upon which and for which organized society forms a constitution. Yet they are good, if there is sense, intelligence, virtue enough in a community to use them judiciously. But when there is not they make trouble; they upset society; they put into the hands of revolutionary dreamers weapons of a most dangerous kind.

"They encourage every group of hobbyists, every lot of people burning with whimsical notions, to propose initiative measures, or to interpose objections through referendum appeals. They have the effect, practically, of abolishing constitution and laws altogether; or at least of keeping people who would defend the stability and orderly progress of society, always on guard, always under arms, for their defense. All this is bringing Oregon under observation from every part of the United States. And not to her credit either.

"The Eugene Register reprints from the Minneapolis Journal an article which comments on the 'hold up,' by the referendum, of the appropriation for the University of Oregon with the statement that the said article has been sent as a clipping to residents of Eugene from their friends in Minnesota and elsewhere, accompanied by a sarcastic invitation to 'move back into the United States.' 'These,' the Eugene paper remarks, 'are the jolts Oregon is getting from all over the Union, especially from those States that would stop immigration from their localities to Oregon. The referendum on the university appropriation is the best and most effective club other States can wield in substantiation of their claim that Oregon is non-progressive and a country to stay away from.'

"The whole of this modern scheme of setting aside constitution and laws, and of forcing legislation without debate, or opportunity of amendment, turns out badly, because it gives the cranks of the country an opportunity which they have not self-restraint enough to forego. Careless people, or people who don't like to be bothered with importunity, sign the petitions to get rid of the solicitors; and when the election comes on the proposal is likely to be neglected by the body of voters, and carried by the votes of the comparatively few enthusiasts who favor it, reinforced by the votes of those who may mark their ballots ignorantly or mechanically, without understanding the matter at all.

"Quite in accord with the whole scheme is the proposal to set aside the Constitution of the United States by Statement No. 1. The best refutation of this folly yet presented appeared in a letter from J. K. Phillips, published yesterday. 'It is asserted,' says this letter, 'that there is an effort afoot to rob the people of the right to elect United States Senators. Did the people ever have such a right? Never. It follows that they cannot be robbed of it. Do they desire to have such right? They may obtain it in the constitutional manner. Is there a reason why United States Senators shall be chosen by a Legislature and Representatives by the people? The Federal Constitution gives the reason.' This leaves not a word to be said."

The President Making Congress.

The Presidential canvass has the right of way in Congress, and legislation pretty generally goes on the siding.—[Philadelphia Press.

Not Used to It.

Strange how few Democrats want a Presidential candidate that can be elected!—[Baltimore Sun.

DOWN IN OLD MEXICO.

BY WILL BRANAN.

A Rubaiyat of Tecolhuacan.

Could Stone but speak and Ash but tell its tale
Could Life and golden Glory breast the gale
Of Time, what stories from the City Dead
Might some attentive Audience regale!

But Life and Love and Glory are as Dust,
Like Honor and some Swords of steel, they rust
In tombs of Death; and those who were so
And now these soulless Skeletons, we trust.

These mighty Temples to the Moon and Sun,
These piles of pyramids have but begun
This page of evolution's Book of Fate—
The present Picture is less crudely done.

At first their idols were of Wood and Stone
A noble Work with Hands for them to hone
The Images; and then they turned their Eyes
To those attractive Things the heavens hold.

And now the Faith of Men is more ideal,
Less tangible and less material;
Their God is greater than the Sun or Moon
An Idol of the Mind ethereal.

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Getting Thin.

"My papa, he is—how is the English?—does not love the Americanos very—very much," she sweetly cautioned in advance.

"Well," said the young man who was developing a matrimonial prospect in Mexico; "I'm losing the old man and starvation—I mean—you know. Don't you see how thin I'm getting on [illegible] Vida?"

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Verdad?

There are metres of time,
Or metres of music and rhyme,
Of dancing;
But the sweetest of metres
Is to meet—er—señoritas
Entrancing.

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Two Conversions.

Following as an aftermath of the conversion of a Catholic priest to the Protestant faith and his subsequent baptism in Mexico City, the ecclesiastical circles of the capital were recently startled by the announcement that Rev. W. H. Sloan, one of the pioneer Protestant missionaries in Mexico, had joined the Roman Catholic Church. There was some discussion as to whether Mr. Sloan, being a married man at the time of his conversion, could enter the priesthood, but he himself declares that he has no aspirations in this direction, and that he leaves the Protestant fold only after much conscientious reflection.

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Learning the Business.

One of the young Guggenheims is now demonstrating his desire to learn the business of his uncles and uncles from the bottom up. He has gone to work at the very cheapest labor, which he refuse to accept, as it is generally given to Mexicans at the smelting plant of the United States Mexican and Refining Company at Aguascalientes.

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Do Dogs Reason?

In connection with the controversy which has been stirred up by The Outlook's publication of an article by John Burroughs in regard to the reasoning power of dogs, several little stories which seem to indicate intelligence of a high order are related of the remarkable Mexico City canine.

Stray dogs can be counted by the thousand in Mexico City, and if one stands on the corner of such callejones as Alcaiceria, El Pinto and Jesus, where small shops and filth are interspersed indiscriminately, at least one stray dog may be seen to every passer by.

But these stray dogs are the wisest in the world. They are aware that from time to time they are instructed to kill them, and so they try to cultivate the friendship of these guardians of the peace. One may see on every corner every night a score or four or five dogs acting as a gendarme's watch dog. While the gendarme sleeps, seated on the curb with a door, or leaning against a wall, the dogs keep watch. As soon as they see a superior officer coming some private individual approaching at a distance they begin to bark so desperately that the gendarme wakes up in time to meet his superior or blow his whistle, if it is a private citizen approaching. As soon as the gendarme is awake the dogs cease their barking.

In the day time these stray dogs wander over the city, around the market places, fondling butcher shops, and as a rule they are well fed and pampered.

There is the curious anecdote of a dog which was accustomed to sit patiently for hours at the door of a small butcher shop on Callejon de Dolores, near San Juan de Letran, in front of the Los Tres Amigos cantina. This dog belonged to an American who was returning to the United States.

Followed by "Bomb" the American entered the cantina for his last drink before departing from Old Mexico. But he left by a side door, summoned the dog, called a cab, and drove hurriedly to the depot.

"Bomb" is still expecting his master to return. The barkeepers, who know why the poor animal is patiently waiting outside of the cantina, have tried and try to induce him to give up his vigil, but he insists on remaining at the post where he was left by his master, in sunshine or rain.

Enough to Make Cornelius Turn.

It is rumored that the mother of Count [illegible] will become a Hungarian Countess. In order that seismographs record disturbances it might be well to examine the grave of Cornelius.—[Chicago Record-Herald.

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MUSIC AND THE STAGE.

Mayo Vessella, until a few weeks ago director of the Long Beach municipal band, has picked an artistic plum in the East.

He has secured the musical contract for the Steel Pier at Atlantic City, and will play there from May 31 to September 15, with a band of fifty men. This is one of the most important summer engagements in the United States, and Vessella is more than fortunate, since he is to be allowed sufficient resources to secure thoroughly first-class musicians.

The Steel Pier is a million-dollar structure, and is one of the recreation centers of the immense resort.

During Vessella's two or three years in and about this city he proved his sterling musicianship, and the excellent programmes he built for his small local band, under comparatively adverse conditions, showed that he was no mere poser or acrobatic freak.

A New York daily of last week asserts that he is the youngest bandmaster to gain such a position on the eastern coast. He is yet in his twenty-eighth year.

The Los Angeles Theater is setting a hard pace in the matter of musical shows, for "The Burgomaster," first performances of which were given yesterday, is another spirited, dainty and at moments really humorous offering.

Is this the first local presentation of this play?—at any rate, the piece is well put together, and the stage management, musical portions and costumery leave as little to be desired as the pretty faces and figures in the chorus.

"The Burgomaster" bears the distinctive Pixley and Luders stamp, which is preëminent refinement. These very successful collaborators have not invariably produced scenes of scintillating brilliance—any more than other successful play-makers—but they have at least infused picturesqueness, crispness and a certain original charm into every act.

"The Burgomaster" is in two acts and prologue—which is laid in ancient New Amsterdam. Peter Stuyvesant is the Burgomaster, wooden leg and all, and some liberties are taken with his historical character—as must needs be in musical comedy. Both he and his secretary, Doodle von Kull, insist upon drinking a potion powerful enough to knock out a pirate, and they fall asleep to wake in our period, coming out of something that looks like the Subway under construction. The usual process of twentieth-century enlightenment is, of course, accorded them at once, in full measure.

Gus Weinberg is funny in a polite and original fashion, and, as must all comedians who are really effective, he lets none of his situations, large or small, escape him without a full allotment of exploitation. Leo Kendal supposedly takes second honors as Doodle von Kull, but he is really inferior in natural humor to Fred W. Bailey, who plays E. Booth Talkington, a stranded actor.

The cast of principals is large, but mention must be accorded Ruth White, who, in man's attire, is as effective as a woman ever can be when masquerading in another sex. She is especially clever as an interpreter of light music, and gave one or two ballads with fine artistic expression.

The chorus is numerous enough to comfortably fill the little Los Angeles stage, is pretty and shapely, and appears in a variety of costume changes.

The music of "The Burgomaster" has by more originality and catchiness than the tunes supplied to most of our musical comedies of the moment, and is splendidly given by the present visitor of the orchestra. His name, by the way, is completely omitted from the programme—while at the top of the same sheet good-sized letters announce that "Mr. William P. Cullen presents"—a matter about which the audience cares not even the old proverbial tinker's dam. Same old asinine performance.

John Cort has offered Blanche Hall a position as soubrette in a Broadway show of his. As a soubrette, this leading woman is certainly effective.

Commencing a week from today the Orpheum will give daily matinées—with the exception that Monday is to be no longer excepted from the matinée list. It is probable that the new bill will open at that time.

The Ferris company will commence its last week at the Auditorium tonight. Mrs. Andrews's play, "Eagle Tavern," will be seen. It is a depiction of life in a small New England town, and the cast is large—comprising, indeed, every available member of the Ferris company, and even including the business manager and the stage director.

The strange influence that notorious criminals seem to exert over women of a certain class is made the theme of the latest Kremer melodrama, which is presented this week at the Grand as "A Desperate Chance." The Biddle brothers served as Kremer's models, and the play is an intended replica of some features of the infamous Pittsburgh tragedy.

The affair is excessively Kremerish, unathirsty and purposeless. Devotees of the Nick Carter literature and the hell-fire moving picture shows will find another offering to their very primitive taste.

The only bit in the production which has any gleam of worth is a character part as played by George W. Denno.

George Barnum should have the best house of his engagement so far in "The Mountain Climber," which he will play tonight. The piece is a late success of Francis Wilson's, and is new to Southern California.

The second week of "A Milk White Flag" started auspiciously yesterday, Edgar Temple scoring a decided personal hit with his rendition of the Moreno-Montrose "My Cherokee."

Alfred Gilmore, formerly of "The Blue Moon Company, is substituted for Helen Duffet in the new sailor song, as Miss Duffet is seen in another vocal specialty, replacing Maurel Bordeau, who is out of the cast.

REVIVAL OF DEBATING.

Law and Liberal Arts Schools of University Will Contest for Honors.

An interesting debate is scheduled for tonight, when representatives of the Freshman Debating Club of the law school of the University of Southern California will meet a picked team from the liberal arts department on the question, "Resolved, that United States Senators should be elected by direct vote of the people." Neff and three of the liberal arts college will uphold the affirmative, while Seamans and Hafeldinger of the law club will take the negative. The debate will be given in the college chapel and is open to the public.

Little attention heretofore has been given to debating in the college department of the university, and it is hoped the present contest will arouse enthusiasm, and possibly result in organized debating. An abundance of good material is available in the various colleges for the development of a creditable university team.

"The Preacher's Experiences" is the subject of the third lecture in the course of homiletics now in progress at the university under the auspices of the McClay College of Theology, and will be delivered by Dr. Robert McIntyre tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in the college assembly hall.

JANUARY CIRCULATION OF THE TIMES.

The following are the sworn statements of the circulation of The Times for January, 1908:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, ss.:

Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, being duly sworn, declares upon his oath that the following is a true and correct office record of the circulation of said newspaper for the month of January, 1908:

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1	108,000	17	50,550
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4	49,840	20	49,980
5	74,000	21	49,880
6	50,010	22	49,780
7	50,520	23	49,750
8	50,650	24	49,590
9	50,380	25	50,080
10	50,310	26	74,000
11	50,010	27	50,050
12	73,500	28	49,950
13	49,800	29	49,970
14	49,430	30	50,290
15	49,520	31	50,420
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HARRY CHANDLER,
Assistant General Manager, The Times.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of January, 1908.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN,
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

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Pequot Sheets and Cases
Because clearance is what we are after, we've no right to expect full profits in February along certain lines, so—
42x36½ Pequot Pillow Cases....22c
50x36½ Pequot Pillow Cases..27½c
72x99 Pequot Sheets 85c
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36-inch Moneybak taffeta, regular $2.25, now $2.00
36-inch chiffon taffeta, regular $2, now $1.75
36-inch Matchless taffeta, regular $1.75, now $1.50
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27-inch Shantungs at $1 and $1.25; 25-inch Tokio pongee at 75c; good dollar grades; 25-inch Bungalow silks at $1.00; and each one shown in every new spring color, with these favorites—admiral blue, apricot, shrimp, argent and Evans blue.
34-inch Oriental pongees, natural color, $1.25 to $3.50
26-inch Oriental pongees, natural color; $1, $1.25 and $1.50
Domestic pongee, natural color, 75c to $2; Motorette silks, natural colors, $1.50 and $2.00

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Spring Covert Coats
Hip-length coats are all the cry: covert a favorite material, as always; so, of course, you've a right to look to us for large assortments of such garments:
Here they are—in price, from $17.50 to $30 each, depending upon the quality of the covert, and the elaborateness of making, as well as linings; every one is thoroughly good, however; corset coats, half fitting and fitted styles in plenty; several shades of material; stitched and strapped seams; very stylish garments.

High Grade Gloves
Perhaps no stock of goods that we carry is more carefully and expertly selected than our glove assortments. Buying in quantity and having the agency for world-famous lines, brings the very finest of styles to our counters.
New arrivals are 16-button length kid gloves, in several leathers, and in every shade of tan, leather, onion, saddle, tobacco and similar browns; in black and white and in many delicate shades that the average store doesn't keep in stock; and nearly all of our gloves are made to our particular specifications, too.
SPECIAL—12-button cape gloves of $4 grade for $3.50

A Jewelry Sale
One hundred per cent. of value; seventy-five per cent. of usual cost to pay for every belt buckle, buckle set (slide and clasp) and bracelet that we own.
Such a wholesale clearance comes but once a year at this store; before inventory; when it is advantageous to turn stock into money quickly. Keen women won't be slow to turn the opportunity to their advantage; for a Coulter bargain is usually even better than it sounds.
Now, dainty spring beltings in Dresden, elastic, black and white and Roman stripe designs are just received—these, however, not reduced.

$30 Ostermoors $18.50
Any business day in the year you may buy here the regular Ostermoor Mattress at fifteen dollars. This week only you can buy a special Ostermoor, that retails regularly for thirty dollars, for just eighteen-fifty, only $3.50 more than the less expensive mattress regularly costs. Isn't the saving worth while?
You've seen the advertisement in Saturday Evening Post, in Munsey's, McClure's, Scribner's and other of the national magazines—a sixty-pound Ostermoor Mattress, made in one or two parts, as desired; 4 feet 6 inches wide; covered with mercerized French art twill; made with five-inch inseamed French edge border; round corners; exceedingly soft and springy; this week only..... $18.50

Save on Linen Goods
Your own eyes and fingers will tell you most convincingly of the values in the following linens:
17x32-inch all-linen huck towels, cut from 25c to 20c
19x38-inch all-linen huck towels, cut from 30c to 25c
18x37-inch all-linen huck towels, cut from 35c to 30c
22x40-inch all-linen huck towels, cut from 40c to 35c
28x50-inch extra heavy cotton bath towels, cut from 60c to 50c
Extra Size Satin Bedspreads
Fringed; with cut corners; double bed size:
96x104 ..... $5.00
100x108 ..... $5.00
Cut for three-quarter size beds:
80x98 ..... $5.00
For twin beds (Imptd.) 72x97 ..... $9.00

90c Brussels Carpet 75c
Not a stock in the store which isn't affected by the general February clearance. Among the rugs and draperies are these noteworthy items:
Bungalow sets of furniture—five pieces—settee, tabouret, table and 2 chairs—made from finest clashed Oregon pine, in Flemish oak finish; regularly $60, now $39.25
Brussels carpet, all pure wool, regularly 90c, now, sewed, lined and laid for, yard.... 75c
A thousand curtain samples—ends in lengths of one and a half yards—no pairs; comprising all the fine makes of curtains that in pairs, and in regular stocks, would sell up to $40, one sale now for, each..... 75c

Coulters

Through The Orange Groves
"INSIDE TRACK" to
RIVERSIDE and REDLANDS
The tip for the tourist, who seeks the most beautiful spots in Southern California.
SPECIAL TRAIN EVERY MORNING AT 8:55.
Stopping at Riverside 2 hours and 32 minutes and 1 hour and 50 minutes at Redlands, thus giving opportunity for drives to points of interest, reaching Los Angeles on your return at 6:50 p. m.
Round Trip $3.00
Good eight days and for stopovers. Sunday rate, $2.05. Rate to Riverside or San Bernardino and return, $2.75; Sunday rate, $1.75. Ask for illustrated booklet at City Ticket Office, 600 S. Spring St., corner Sixth, or at Arcade Station.
Southern Pacific

Anderson & Chanslor Company
GROCERS 428-430 SOUTH SPRING STREET
Phones—Exchange 38
LEAVITT A POUND BOX DELICIOUS BUTTERCUPS 25 CENTS
Special
TWO TWENTY-TWO WEST FOURTH SEVEN FORTY-NINE SOUTH SPRING LOS ANGELES

Newberry's
A SIGNET ORANGE
The highest possible selection of Redlands—a district of unquestioned superiority. Extra fancy oranges in an extra fine package. Especially fine for a gift to your Eastern friends.
$2.25 PER BOX

ATMORE'S MINCE MEAT.
Regular 75c 3½-lb. glass jar...60c
Regular 30c 5-lb. pail 65c

GORDON & DILWURTH MINCE MEAT.
Regular 35c quart jar 70c
Regular $1.45 ½-gal. jar $1.25

APPLE BUTTER QUART JARS 35c

Maine Corn, 2-lb. can, 2 cans....25c
Western Corn, 2-lb. can, 2 cans, 15c
Larson's Daybreak Peas, 2-lb. can 10c
Larson's Sifted Melting Peas, 2-lb. can 15c
French Spinach, regular 20c can 15c
French Peas, regular 20c can...15c
Larson Lily Sauer Kraut, 2-lb. can ..... 3 for 25c
Our Home Made Bread, 3 10c loaves..... 25c

Main Store—216-218 S. Spring St. Telephone Exchange 26.
City Branches: Hoover St. Cor. 25th St. Telephone B4801. Pico Store, Pico and Catalina. Telephone B1212.
Highland Park Store, 128 Avenue 30. Telephone C9143.
Hollywood Store: Telephone E7025.

MULLEN & BLUETT CLOTHING CO.
CORNER SPRING AND FIRST STREETS.
The Quality Store
Established over a quarter of a century

Men's Clothing
Our complete stock of men's fine clothing at half price
LOWMAN & CO.,
131 South Spring St.

Hair Switch $5
The best switch ever sold in Los Angeles at the price. Finest human hair in all colors. WEAVER-JACKSON CO., 443 So. Broadway.

Advance spring styles.
In Women's Footwear
Wetherby-Kayser Shoe Co., 218-217 S. Broadway.

BUCK'S Stoves and Ranges
Best in the World Today
Sold on Approval by
HENRY GUYOT
538-540 South Spring St.

FIRE SALE CONTINUES TODAY
Smallest Prices You Ever Heard Of
KAHN'S
457 South Broadway

We Will Make You a Suit to Order for $10
INVESTIGATE
UNITED TAILORS
349 South Main Street

Largest and finest stock of
Dinner Sets
in Southern California.
Parmelee-Dohrmann Co.
438-44 South Broadway.

THE WEATHER.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 23.—[Reported by A. B. Wollaber, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.15; at 5 p.m., 30.13. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 45 deg. and 58 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 81 per cent.; 5 p.m., 73 per cent. Wind, northeast, velocity, 7 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity, 7 miles. Maximum temperature, 62 deg. Minimum temperature 42 deg. Rainfall past twenty-four hours, trace; rainfall for season, 19.65; rainfall last season to date, 14.92. Barometer reduced to sea level.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 22.—Rainfall data:

Stations—	Seasonal to date.	Normal.
Red Bluff	16.97	16.99
Sacramento	10.91	13.52
San Francisco	14.21	15.79
Fresno	4.79	8.35
San Luis Obispo	15.14	13.43
Los Angeles	10.65	10.54
San Diego	6.18	6.83

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—The pressure is rising slowly along the northern coast and falling over the Rocky Mountains district. This has caused generally fair weather over the southern portion of the Pacific Slope and cloudy over the northern, with light showers in Western Washington, Northern Arizona and Southern Nevada. Warm weather prevails over the plateau region but in other districts the temperature is nearly normal. Conditions are favorable for fair weather in California Monday, probably with fog along the coast in the morning and light northwest winds. Forecast:

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Monday with fog in the morning; light northwest winds.

Santa Clara Valley: Fair Monday; light light north winds.

Sacramento Valley: Fair Monday; night north winds.

San Joaquin Valley: Fair Monday; light north winds.

Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Monday; light west winds.

Arizona: Fair Monday and Tuesday.

Classified Liners.

Times Classified Rates: The rate for inserting "Want" ads in The Daily Times is 1c per word for each insertion; in the Sunday issue 1½c per word, each insertion; minimum charge 25c; except under following classifications the rate for which is 10c per line, minimum charge 80 cents: "Society Meetings," "Personals," "Special Notices," and "Baths and Massage."

"Liner" (classified) advertisements for Sunday insertion received over the counter or by telephone after 11:30 o'clock Saturday nights will be inserted under heading "Too Late to Classify."

Sunday real estate advertisements, to be classified properly, must be in The Times office before 10:30 o'clock Saturday nights. Rates 1½ cents per word.

The Sunday circulation of The Times exceeds 70,000 copies, and more "liners" are regularly printed in its columns than in the five other Los Angeles newspapers combined.

Telephone your want advertisements. Ring up "The Times" any time of day or night and secure prompt and careful attention.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume responsibility for errors of any kind occurring in telephoned advertisements.

THE TIMES will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

SUNDAY REAL ESTATE LINERS—Classified real estate advertisements for insertion in THE SUNDAY TIMES must be in the office not later than 10:30 o'clock saturday nights. Other "want" advertisements for Sunday insertion will be taken over the counter until 11:30 p.m.

The great volume of liners printed in The Sunday Times, numbering regularly over 3000 separate announcements, makes this regulation absolutely necessary in order to get the big Sunday issue out on time.

CESSPOOLS—

WE PUMP THEM OUT, ABSOLUTELY NO ODOR; NOTHING EXPOSED; FULL-SIZED TANK; QUICK SERVICE; 5 TEAMS; NO WAITING; EIGHT YEARS' EXPERIENCE IN THIS LINE ARE EXPERIENCE IN THIS CITY; HIGHLY RECOMMENDED. LOS ANGELES SANITARY CO., TEMPLE 535. HOME E9146.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between W. D. Bacon and A. E. Willsher doing business at 136 W. Second st., Los Angeles, California, is hereby dissolved by the undersigned who will not be responsible for any debts contracted by said W. D. Chancy or by him for said partnership.

A. E. WILLSHER.

Dated Feb. 21, 1908. 24

CESSPOOLS—

The cost is from $5 to $10 less to have them cleaned out by the IMPERIAL PUMPING CO.; residence 1311 W. 30th st. Home 12040. West 3296.

PIONEER CARPET CLEANING WORKS. Home F2585. Main 217. 716 S. Olive. Cleaning, laying and refitting. Refooming and stair rugs a specialty. G. CLINE, Pres.

BURLAP SPECIAL, 64 IN., NATURAL, 24c. Wall paper, special gold, 11c. Carriage paint, special, pints, 35c. WALTER 627 S. Spring. F1035. Main 1035.

ROOFS REPAIRED, CONTRACTS PROMPTly executed; agents for Cincy's Marmetic Roofing. CAL. ROOFING SUPPLY CO., 304 Pay Bldg. Home A4592.

CALIFORNIA STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS cleans carpets, refitting, sewing and laying. 417 E. 24th st. Main 7.

FEATHER PILLOWS RENOVATED AT ACME FEATHER WORKS, 758 San Pedro. 'Phone Sunset Main 1248, Home 2041.

THE HARRIS INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLogy, 347 S. Broadway. Wrinkles, smallpox pittings, freckles; all facial blemishes, permanently removed without pain. Full line of preparations.

NOTICE—DERBY OR FELT HATS MADE like new, 50c up. Factory, 214 N. B'DWAY.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED BY HAND. West 291. Home B4715. MRS. HEATH.

CHURCH NOTICES—With Place and Hour.

ALL THE PEOPLE—THE STRANGER AND the neighbor, the resident and the sojourner, the rich and the poor are cordially invited to attend the services of ST. PAUL'S PRO-CATHEDRAL, 523 S. Olive street, the Rev. J. J. Wilkins, D.D., Dean and Rector. Those services are held at 7:30, 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.; 7:30 p.m. Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m.; Young People's meeting, 6:45 p.m. The Rector will preach in the morning, subject, "Providential Care." In the evening, a clergyman of the Greek church will lecture on the history, traditions, characteristics, worship, and relations of that great religious organization of other Christian bodies. All welcome. Come.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, FLOWER AND Seventh. Revival meetings nightly. Dr. Henry, Prof. Stout. Chorus choir.

CHURCH NOTICES—Miscellaneous.

FIRST CHURCH OF RICHES, 534½ S. Broadway. Rm. 16. revival services daily. 24

PERSONAL—Business.

PERSONAL—

MRS. MASSON,

the noted palmist of London, Eng., may be consulted at

322 S. SPRING ST. (Suite 17.)

by those desiring careful, conscientious and reliable hand readings from one of the foremost palmists of the day.

Investments, changes of business, losses and gains, lawsuits, deaths, marriages, separation, and, in fact, all that life holds for you is plainly written in your hand; it is simply a question of correct interpretation. HIGH CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

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PERSONAL — PROF. ALTHOUSE, CELEbrated palmist and astrologer, acknowledged by the best intellects as the most remarkable reader of hands in this country; also casts complete horoscopes; advice on all questions of life. His readings, scientific, absolutely correct, must in no wise be classed with those of other readers. With each hand also an astrological reading. High class patronage. Beware of unreliable readers. 509½ SOUTH SPRING. 29

PERSONAL — THE WORLD'S GREATEST astral seer and psychic, MILBURN. When considering a psychic consult the best. Milburn is the acknowledged leader of them all. Permanently located in Los Angeles. He advises you with a power higher than human. He brings sunshine and success in your life, telling you how to overcome enemies and one stacles. Work guaranteed. 423 W. SIXTH ST. Hours 10 to 8, daily and Sundays. 29

PERSONAL—SEE

HENLEY.

THE SUCCESSFUL PSYCHIC.

This man can tell you all about your social or business affairs. It pays to consult one who knows. Don't delay. Call today. 325 SOUTH HILL, NEAR 4TH. 28

PERSONAL—WANTED—MIDDLE AGED OR young doctor who is registered in this State to call between eleven and twelve a.m. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. This is a money-maker for the right party. Address G. F. ENNIS, 132 Le Roy st., Los Angeles.

PERSONAL — MRS. JENNINGS ROGERS, the world's greatest psychic life reader, this week $1; bring ad. test meeting Thursday, 8 p.m. 316½ S. SPRING ST. 24

PERSONAL — LADIES, I FIT THE FACE. Millinery at half price of ground floor stores. MADAM DOSCH, 231 S. Hill st.

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, PALMIST, CARD reader, ladies 25c, gents 50c. 309½ S. Spring. 25

WANTED—Help, Male.

Note—Applicants for positions are advised not to enclose original recommendations in answer to ads. Send duplicates only.

WANTED—
—ESTIMATORS—EXPERTS ONLY—
for the following trades—
Fire-proof construction.
Steel construction.
Masonry.
Timber construction.
Mill work.
Painting.
Plumbing.
Apply in person to superintendent.
BUILDERS' GUARANTEE ESTIMATING CO. 533 Grosse Bldg.

WANTED—JAPANESE
HARRY NAKADO EMPLOYMENT AGENCY.
Oldest agency in the city.
201 E. SECOND ST., Los Angeles.
HOME A4121. MAIN 263.

We furnish cooks, waiters, porters and all kinds other first-class help.

WANTED—JAPANESE
PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
Largest and most popular agency,
421 W. Sixth st., Los Angeles, Cal.
House cleaning department.
Widow cleaning department.
Phones—Home F1078; Main 1714.
Generas, labor contractors. Every department insures responsibility.

WANTED—FIVE HOUSE TO HOUSE SOliciters on straight salary, salary and commission or straight commission, to represent a manufacturing concern on a widely advertised line of necessities. Apply from 9 to 12 Monday morning. LOS ANGELES CHEMICAL AND MANUFACTURING CO., 903 W. 2d st.

WANTED—COOK, $40; HOTEL CHAMBERmaid, $25; 3rd girl, $25; cook, ranch, Orsand, $40; waitress, $30; cafeteria, $1 per day; seamstress, $1.50 a day; experienced presser; child' nurse, $20; cook, $25; housegirls, $20 to $30. BUREAU OF SERVICE, Pasadena. Phones 745.

WANTED—TWO WAITRESSES OUT OF town; 2 hotel waitresses, $25 and fd.; 2 hotel chambermaids, $25 and fd. and $35; cafeteria girls, $7; pantry girl, $25; nurse girl, $20; boarding-house cook, $40; house girls, $25 and $35. BROADWAY EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 316 e. Broadway.

WANTED—ALL WOMEN TO EARN A COMmission. Bring your friends to us. Perfect home sites in San Gabriel Valley, 15 minutes from Main st. ARNOLD and DODGE, 430 S. Broadway.

WANTED—LADIES WITH SPARE HOURS at home to make sofa pillow tops; copy designs for wholesale hous; new process; we furnish material and teach you free; pays $8 to $15 weekly. Call WOMAN'S NATIONAL ART EXCHANGE, 554 S. Broadway.

WANTED — YOUNG LADIES TO LEARN the barber trade, wages earned while learning. Tuition free. Tools furnished, write at once. Address Y, box 35, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GOOD, RELIABLE GIRL TO ASsist in general housework in family of 2 adults; good home and good pay to right party. 1159 W. 25TH. Take West Jefferson or University car.

WANTED—LADIES TO MAKE SOFA PILlow tops at home for wholesale house; steady work, good pay; experience unnecessary; unlimited instructions free. IDEAL ART CO., room 75, 415½ S. Spring st.

WANTED—LADIES WHO ARE WILLING to make from $20 to $30 per week without interfering with their other positions. Address OE, box 105, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TWO COMPETENT GIRLS, FAMily housework; also refined competent nurse or nursery governess. Address R, box 143, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LADIES WHO COULD DEVOTE a few hours each week at their homes for a good compensation. Address OA, box 104 TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—NEAT APPEARING LADY AS chambermaid in rooming-house; $7 week to start. Come at 8:30 ready to work. 326½ S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—FOR PRINTING OFFICE, LADY book-keeper and collector; must write Eclectic shorthand. CLEAVER, Eclectic Business College, 344 S. Main.

WANTED—A GOOD ENERGETIC EXPERIenced saleswoman. Please call after 5 o'clock p.m. TERRELL, 740-41 S. Broadway.

WANTED—LADIES, MAKE MONEY SELLing sample shirtwaists; light work and easy money. 225 CITIZENS' NAT. BANK BLDG.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN TO assist in light housework and attend an invalid. 2110 HOOPER AVE. South 5490.

WANTED—A GOOD GIRL OR WOMAN TO assist with light housework in family of two and help take care of baby. Apply 1124 W. 17TH.

WANTED—OPERATORS, EXPERIENCED on power machines to make wool suits and kimonos. Call at PACIFIC GARMENT CO., 250 S. Los Angeles st., 3d floor.

WANTED—NEAT REFINED WOMAN TO take care of invalid and assist with house work, $6 per week. 559 S. HOPE ST.

WANTED—COLORED WOMAN TO DO SECond work in a kitchen. HOTEL HEINZEMAN, 620 S. Grand ave.

WANTED—COMPETENT TO TAKE CARE of two children; wages satisfactory; references. Apply at once 755 LAKE ST.

WANTED—GIRL TO COOK AND DO GENeral house work, 1301 ORANGE ST., corner Burlington.

WANTED—Help, Male and Female.

WANTED — YEOMAN OF AMERICA FRAternal Insurance wants ladies and gentlemen deputies, experience not necessary; must be honest. Address ANDREW PEARSON, State manager, 529 Temple st.

WANTED — AMATEURS FOR FRIDAY night. Call or address mgr. of Fisher's Theater, prize to all.

WANTED—Male or Female Help. (To Learn Trades.)

WANTED—YOUNG MAN BETWEEN THE ages of 18 and 25 to be taught to operate the linotype machine at THE TIMES LINOTYPE SCHOOL, corner San Fernando and College sts., Los Angeles. Good operators are in demand in every section of the country, and the pay is above the average. It is possible to learn in from three to six months. Apply to SCHOOL MANAGER for terms.

LADIES LEARN HAIRDRESSING AND beauty culture. Special offer for short time only; cannot supply demand for our graduates. MACDONALD'S HAIRDRESSING COLLEGE, 304 Mercantile Place, near Spring.

WANTED — THE LOS ANGELES BARBER College guarantees a thorough course in 6 weeks, by new method; wages earned while learning; expert instructors. For particulars, call at once, 237 E. 5th st. LOS ANGELES BARBER COLLEGE.

WANTED — MEN AND WOMEN, LEARN the barber trade at the Los Angeles Barber College, the only original college in Southern California. You will save time and money by calling on us at once. 257 E. 5th st. LOS ANGELES BARBER COLLEGE. 24

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN electricity, bricklaying, plumbing, plastering, plan reading, etc. Actual work on buildings; no books; day or night. Installments. Position secured. COYNE TRADE SCHOOLS, 250-240 8th sts., San Francisco.

WANTED—Situations, Male.

WANTED—BY FIRST CLASS PRACTICAL gardener, he knows his business thoroughly, landscape, greenhouse, propagating as far in his line; twenty years' experience in Europe and United States; first-class references from local employers. GARDENER, Burlington Hotel, 235 E. Second.

WANTED—WE HAVE FINE STENOGRAPHers, bookkeepers, cashiers, etc., on our list; let us furnish you with office help; no charge to employers. MIDDLETON'S EXCHANGE, public stenographer, notary, 414 Union Trust Bldg. F5015. Main 4150.

WANTED—PERHAPS YOU CAN USE bookkeeper or clerk evenings 1. your business who would consider room or equivalent as part payment. Address Z, box 130, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—I AM A FIRST-CLASS BOOKkeeper and clerk; if you are in need of such for evening work it will pay you to investigate. Address Z, box 128, TIMES OFFICE.

TO UNENGAGED PARTY, CAPABLE OF raising $10,000 to operate oil lease, will give half of my interest and charge of operations in field. Address I, box 122, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY YOUNG JAPanese, with experience as cook and house work, in nice family in town. S. HIRATSUKA, 910 W. 11th st., city. Tel. Broadway 3071.

WANTED — POSITION OF ADVERTISING manager by man who can manage good; sobriety and energy part of his assets; refers to any firm ever connected wi .. Address V, box 1, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG MAN WISHES position as grocery clerk, solicitor or collector; best reference; no objection to leaving city. Address V, box 134, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — HANDY MAN WANTS WORK by the day or hour; experienced in gardening, house cleaning, painting or rough carpenter. Call up WILLIAMS, Main 3568. Best of city reference.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED JAPANESE wants situation as butler or second work in private family, city or country. Address S. E. SAIRAS, 421 South San Pedro st.

WANTED — JAPANESE, FINEST COOK, wishes position as cook in nice family, references, $45 month. Phone F1896. Main 4256. MORIYAMA.

WANTED — LANDSCAPE GARDENER, well recommended, experienced in all other branches, desires position on private place. Address P. M., 1268 SENTOUS ST.

WANTED—GOOD JAPANESE WITH EXperience wishes position as cook and general house work. Address GOTO, 162 E. Green st., Pasadena.

WANTED — POSITION IN AUTOMOBILE repair shop by machinist and draughtsman, with possibility of future investment. Address S, box 97, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED JAPANESE cook wants position in private family; has good reference. Call GEORGE, F1698, Main 6139, 604½ W. 6th st.

WANTED—COLORED MAN WANTS place in private family as cook or can do anything; well recommended. Address V, box 48, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — ANY KIND OF WORK BY Korean young man; prefer hotel or private home. CLAUDE KIM, Phone 62747.

WANTED—Situations, Male.

WANTED — EDUCATED GENTLEMAN, with good references, for permanent position; part of time out of city. Address T, box 58, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GARDENER, HONEST, RELIable, to take care of private place, country preferred, references. Address X, box 50, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, ATTENDING business college, will give services in exchange room and board. SCOTT, Eclectic Business College, 1042 Main.

WANTED — SITUATION; LANDSCAPE gardener to all branches; first-class references, private and commercial. Address Y, box 58, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BOOKKEEPER, 28, EMPLOYED during day, will work evenings for room and part board. Address Z, box 114, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WHO WANTS GOOD CLERK for evening work; very cheap. Address Z, box 113, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BOOKKEEPER AND CLERK wants evening work. Address Z, box 112, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—I WILL DO YOUR BOOKKEEPing evenings for you very reasonable. Address Z, box 124, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CLERK WILL WORK EVENing for room. Address Z, box 129, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS CANDY MAKER wants situation; best references. Address V, box 128, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A JAPANESE MAN WANTS chamber work. Address Y, box 101, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A JAPANESE WANTS A POSItion as cook in small family. Address Y, box 102, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN DESIRES LIGHT work for room and board in city or on ranch. Address W, box 137, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BRICKLAYER AND PLASTERer wants work by day or repairing. Address V, box 140, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS CHEF OR STEWard in restaurant or hotel; good reference. Address V, box 132, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED JAPANESE cook wants position in family. HIBI, 229½ E. Fourth st.

WANTED — CARPENTER WANTS WORK by day or contract. HOME 'PHONE 41150.

WANTED—A JAPANESE BOY WANTS POsition to milk the cow, who speaks English. TEL. MAIN 1009.

WANTED—Situations, Female.

WANTED—DANISH LADY WANTS POSItion as housekeeper in private family; no objection going out of town; competent and reliable. Address DANISH LADY, 642 Chamber of Commerce. Phone A4639; Main 1095.

WANTED—POSITION BY LADY WITH SIX years' experience in double-entry book-keeping and stenography; can furnish best of references, both city and where formerly employed. Address X, box 94, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER WANTS work at home; typewriting specifications, letters, manuscripts, etc.; have Underwood machine; first-class work reasonable. HOME 41469.

WANTED—COMPETENT STENOGRAPHER; four years' experience; insurance, mining, milling machinery and State government work; A1 references. Address Z, box 127, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A GRADUATE NURSE WILL take care of invalid and help with housework for $35; is willing to go to country. Address T, box 61, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — SITUATION, A1 HOUSEKEEPer, nurse or companion; any position of trust; salary $50. Address MISS H. H., 135 N. Marengo ave., Pasadena.

WANTED—GIRL WANTS GOOD HOME IN exchange for light housework. Ring up MAIN 5440, Sunset, before 8 a.m. or after 3 p.m.

WANTED—BY YOUNG LADY, POSITION AS stenographer, book-keeper or invoice clerk; business preferred. Address X, box 79, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY EASTERN NURSE, PLACE to care for children; best of references; state wages and duties. Address X, box 30, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — LADY WISHES POSITION AS housekeeper, with girl 9 years old; widower's home or small family preferred. PHONE F5215. City preferred.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOOK-KEEPER desires permanent position; with reliable firm; A1 references. Address X, box 49, TIMES OFFICE.

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TO LET—6-ROOM MODERN HOUSE WITH piano, rent $30. 217 E. 28TH.

TO LET—FURNISHED MODERN SIX-room cottage. 649 W. 36TH ST.

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TO LET—1288 W. NINTH ST., NEW 5-ROOM house, furnished; adults only.

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TO LET—
FINE STORE,
Broadway, between 5th and 6th st.
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ALSO LARGE OFFICE, CHEAP.
C. WESLEY ROBERTS CO.,
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Home A4634—Main 9178.

TO LET—
STORES, OFFICES, LOFTS.
WAREHOUSE AND FACTORY SITES.
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WE HAVE ALL THE
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B. A. ROWAN & CO.,
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TO LET — FINE THREE-STORY AND basement building on Los Angeles st., near Second; suitable for wholesale or retail business; fixtures and elevators, complete. Apply for present to 116 S. MAIN ST.

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL FURNISHED OFfice complete, with phone, Smith typewriter, two desks, 4 chairs and cabinet. Can be used either alone or in connection with two other rooms. Rent $35 per month. Reference required. Call ROOM 701 Fay Bldg.

TO LET — COMPANY MOVING OUT OF city will sublet all or part of two best connecting offices in H. W. Hellman Bldg. Call 329 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG. Phone A3832.

TO LET—OFFICES FURNISHED AND UNfurnished, with or without stenographer and telephone service. Apply ROOM 221, San Fernando Bldg., 4th and Main sts.

TO LET—STORE, 310 1/2 W. FIFTH CORNER good location for groceries. LEUSCHNER & CO., 629 S. Main.

TO LET—½ OF FINE LARGE STORE ON west side of Broadway, near Fourth. H. F. METCALF, 315 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

TO LET—CORNER, 109x145, W. WASHINGton, for wood or coal yard, garage, nursery, etc. MARSHUTZ, 555 S. Broadway.

TO LET—631 S. BROADWAY, desirable store, good location. Apply UNIQUE THEATER OFFICE.

TO LET—FINE LIGHT STORE, 238 E. NINTH st., $40 per month. See owner, 519 CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK BLDG.

TO LET—PART OR WHOLE OF STORE room, 20x75 feet. O. P. ZAHN, 535 S. Los Angeles st. Home A3617.

TO LET—STORE ROOM, 618 W. PICO ST. Cheap rent, long lease. WEST 2608.

TO LET—STORES, PICO NEAR FLOWER; F3732. MARSHUTZ, 555 S. Broadway.

TO LET—SPACE FOR BUTCHER IN GERlesman's new store. 334 S. MAIN ST.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS AND OFfices, 331 S. SPRING.

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TO LET—10 ACRES OR 20 ACRES, WITH good house, barn, chicken corrals, well water, etc., garden or berry land, near electric cars. Call soon. CHANDLER, 217 Grant Bldg.

TO LET—THE ROCK TERRACE FRUIT ranch, 2 miles south of Acton or would take partner. Address D. F. DOMINICK, Acton, Cal.

TO LET—A 20-ACRE RANCH, GOOD SOIL, water, good buildings, close to Los Angeles and near street car line. BOWMAN REAL ESTATE CO., 609 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE — THE BEST BARGAIN AND easiest terms of any seven-room, new, modern house, southwest. L. L. BOWEN, 519 Fay Bldg.

FOR SALE—10-ROOM COTTAGE ON LOT, 76x150, near Main st. and River Station. Price $4000. Terms. E2313; MAIN 6630.

FOR SALE—6 ROOM HOUSE, CORNER LOT 80x140, (to 20 foot alley; price $2200, instead of $2700. 720 GANAHL ST. Boyle 1404.

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FOR SALE—
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AT A SACRIFICE.
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Modern 5-room cottage and 4-room cottage on same lot, (east front.) Here is your opportunity; owner must leave the city at once.

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A BEAUTIFUL HOUSE.
Strictly modern 9-room residence, reception-room, 19x26 feet, oak floors, beautiful stone fireplace, beamed ceilings, library, paneled dining room, cabinet kitchen; servant's quarters; cellar with furnace; everything of the very best.
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10-room modern residence with furnace, solar heater, oak floors, etc., etc., etc.
LOT 66x130.
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ROBERT MITCHELL CO.,
312 W. Third st.
Phones—Ex. 3231, Main 235.

FOR SALE—A SURE BARGAIN; LARGE rambling six-room bungalow, beamed ceilings, oak floors, paneled dining-room, sleeping-rooms and bath done in white ivory; large buffet, kitchen, pressed brick mantle, laundry tub on large screen porch; cement walks, back yard fenced; lot graded ready for lawn; cellar, brick walls and cement floor and steps. Elegant electric fixtures; window shades. In fact as modern and complete as any bungalow in the city.
It is located in the southwest; Grand-ave. car service.
This bungalow is brand new, just completed and was built by day labor by the owner, who lives in the East and expected to occupy same when it was ready, but was disappointed and cannot leave, so offers at the low figure of $3000; $500 cash, balance to suit.
If you are interested in buying an ideal California home or have a buyer, be sure to see this one.
J. W. DOLAN CO.,
209 Grant Bldg.
Phone A1706.

FOR SALE—$2800; 5-ROOM COTTAGE, MODern; built for home and comfort; husband's business calls him from home; took 2 men 2 weeks to finish inside; all hand work; 8 large clothes closets; to see is to buy. Call B9417, ask for MRS. MURRAY. Take San Pedro-st. car, get off at 41st., walk west to No. 408 E. 41st. Lot 40x128. Alley. Or EVELAND McLAUGHLIN CO., 542 S. Spring, 202 Mercantile Place. Phone M. 1562; A1378.

FOR SALE—
$3700—JUST COMPLETED—$3700.
$300 CASH, $25 MO., INCLUDING INTEREST.
Hardwood floors, beamed ceilings, fireplace, brick mantel, bookcases, buffet, paneled dining room, plate rail, a complete and beautiful fittle home, note the terms.
JONES & RUDER LAND CO.,
218 West Third st.

FOR SALE—$250 S. GRAND AVE., A VERY handsome new 6-room bungalow, modern in every respect, including furnace, cement cellar, beam ceilings, etc.; cheap, $500 down, balance monthly. Invoicing $3000; might consider a well located, clear lot as part payment.
F. H. REDPATH,
South 569. 4390 S. Flower.

FOR SALE—
SACRIFICE.
Fine new 6-room bungalow, best bargain in the southwest. Oak floors, beam ceilings, panel walls, concrete veranda, leaded glass buffet, and plenty of cupboard room. 52 ft. north front, all street work done. $1600, $1400 cash. E. M. NUTTING, owner. A2724; Main 9734.

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FOR SALE — THE BEAUTIFUL 2-STORY house on the north side of Orange st., No. 906, beautiful high elevation, overlooking the most beautiful part of the city; choice district, refined neighborhood. Inquire of OWNER, 158 N. Main st. Commission to agents.

FOR SALE—$1250—5-ROOM MODERN BUNgalow, S.W., 1514 New Hampshire ave., 4 different car lines, 14 minutes; house practically new and is a dream; mortgage payable $30 month; a big price for seeing is believing. Go and see it, and you will buy. ARTHUR BOYCE, owner, at house.

FOR SALE—I HAVE A NICE NEW 5-ROOM cottage bungalow home. Must raise money and will sell at a very low price. On car line, 22 minues from downtown. 'Phone me at noon time or between the hours of 2 and 4, and make engagement to come out and see it. M. RADIS, Arnoldo Ward 3146. 24

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FOR SALE—A NEAT LITTLE CALIFORNIA house on a large lot on East 41st street, near Central ave., for only $1350, terms $150 down, $20 month. For full particulars see Mr. Phillips with GOLDEN STATE REALTY COMPANY, 610 S. Spring street. Both phones Ex. 54.

FOR SALE—$7500; MODERN 8-ROOM RESidence, southwest, furnace, combination fixtures, large reception hall and bath, $1000 cash, balance to suit purchaser. Owner must leave city at once. J. P. CUDDEBACK, 216 S. Broadway, room 227.

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$2800. Lot 50x170. Near Figueroa. Six-room bungalow. Any terms. Grand ave cars.
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A7666.

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FOR SALE—NICE 5-ROOM BUNGALOW, in southwest; cheap; terms; street work done; north front; lawn, flowers. HOME B3222. Call Monday.

FOR SALE—7-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, lot 40x127, East 21st, $2700, $200 cash, balance easy. TURNER, room 208, 702 S. Spring. F2386, Main 3610.

FOR SALE—TWO COTTAGES, MODERN, 5 rooms each, snap. Must sell this week. Easy terms. OWNER, 725 E. 27th.

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FOR SALE—BARGAIN; MUST SACRIFICE, lot 40x125; West 47th st., between Moneta and Figueroa; $900, half cash, balance easy. Lot 40x126, on 63rd st. near Figueroa, two street frontages; $475; $50 cash, $10 a month. McPATRIDGE CO., 319 S. Spring.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN—
Pine lot, 40x132 to alley, near Moneta and Slauson, $635; $100 down, $10 per month, 6 per cent. TURNER, room 208, 702 S. Spring. F2386, Main 3610.

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FOR BUSINESS OR RESIDENCE.
Lot 50x150, on 23rd st. near Figueroa, $1250; $250 cash, balance $10 per month. Lot 50x150, on 24th st. near Figueroa, $1250; $250 cash, balance $10 per month. Lot 50x150, on 25th st. near Figueroa, $1250; $250 cash, balance $10 per month. Lot 50x150, on 26th st. near Figueroa, $1250; $250 cash, balance $10 per month. Lot 50x150, on 27th st. near Figueroa, $1250; $250 cash, balance $10 per month. Lot 50x150, on 28th st. near Figueroa, $1250; $250 cash, balance $10 per month. Lot 50x150, on 29th st. near Figueroa, $1250; $250 cash, balance $10 per month. Lot 50x150, on 30th st. near Figueroa, $1250; $250 cash, balance $10 per month. Lot 50x150, on 31st st. near Figueroa, $1250; $250 cash, balance $10 per month. Lot 50x150, on 32nd st. near Figueroa, $1250; $250 cash, balance $10 per month. Lot 50x150, on 33rd st. near Figueroa, $1250; $250 cash, balance $10 per month. Lot 50x150, on 34th st. near Figueroa, $1250; $250 cash, balance $10 per month. 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Wholesale Confession of a Hollywood Youth.

Tells of Part in Over Twenty-five Burglaries.

He and Two Companions Are Now in Custody.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 23.—Merle McReynolds, age 16, the leader of a gang of youthful burglars, today confessed to the robbery of over twenty-five homes and business places in Hollywood and vicinity within the past year, and the police believe the list will be largely increased when a full confession has been secured.

Probably the most important robbery admitted by the boy is that of the Colegrove postoffice in which over $100 in cash and a government mail pouch key was secured. McReynolds and a chum, Eddie Eschrich, were arrested last night by Officers Fry and Eckenburg. Eschrich, who is but 13 years old, was taken to the County Jail and McReynolds was placed in the city lock-up. Today McReynolds was also transferred to the County Jail where he made his confession. In the basement of the Eschrich home on Wilson street the police unearthed a large quantity of stolen goods and in the McReynolds home additional loot was discovered.

The stuff secured filled a good-sized express wagon and included a couple of mattresses, a kitchen table, several boxes of tools, a large number of school books and a complete set of burglar tools. On young McReynolds's person was found a bunch of keys that would make a professional crook envious. McReynolds in his confession implicated Joseph Coe, who has served a term in Whittier and who is now out on probation. Coe was placed under arrest tonight. The police believe that by the arrest of this gang they have put an end to a series of robberies that have puzzled them for the past year. So frequent have these robberies been that the citizens of Hollywood have become terrorized and have seriously contemplated forming a "committee of safety," to aid the police in running down the guilty parties.

The boys arrested have been under suspicion since Monday, at which time the Beaty residence on Sunset boulevard, was robbed. Officer Eckenburg, who has been watching the gang, discovered that one of them was offering a ring, supposed to have been taken from the Beaty home, for sale, and upon this information the boys were placed under arrest.

McReynolds is a son of Mrs. J. L. McReynolds, residing on Wilson street near Townsend, and Eschrich is the son of John Y. Eschrich, foreman for the Union Hollywood Water Company. Coe's parents are dead. He lives with his uncle, C. K. Coe, an oil dealer.

Following is a list of places which McReynolds says were robbed by the gang: L. J. Zenor, Magnolia avenue; P. P. Chase, H. R. Beaty, Central Hardware Company, Union Hollywood Water Company, Hollywood library, Godfrey, corner Palm and Prospect; Joseph Walker, R. H. Jones, Davenport, Santa Monica avenue; the Grant, Fremont and Los Feliz schools, Fowler's real estate office, Will Thilmins, Mrs. Reynolds, corner Iowa and Sunset; McDonald, South Wilcox avenue, and tool chests belonging to J. W. McKinley, Mrs. A. W. Baird and Mr. Spriggs and the Colegrove postoffice.

McReynolds denies any knowledge of the assault on Miss Josephine Dipner, which occurred Tuesday night. He says that it was the intention of the gang to rob the Hollywood postoffice Saturday night had they not been arrested.

DIVORCE AND CONSPIRACY.

Petition for First Elicits Cross-Petition Charging Husband and Son With the Second.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DES MOINES (Iowa) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Fashionable society was shocked yesterday when A. Adler, a prominent capitalist, filed a petition for divorce on the ground that his wife was seasoning his food with poison, but the sensation was mild compared with that created today by the answer and cross-petition of Mrs. Adler, in which she alleges that her husband and son Morris conspired with a negress and half-breed Indian to involve her in a supposed murder plot, from which her husband was to have a narrow escape, but which would land her in the penitentiary. She further alleges it was the plan of her husband to marry again in cast the conspiracy worked.

Mrs. Adler describes in graphic detail the manner in which she was decoyed into a lonely house by the negress on a dark night, and then confronted by the half-breed Indian with a bloody club with which he claimed to have killed her husband. She further alleges that her son Morris crawled out of a trap-door in the home of the negress and openly accused her of hiring the Indian to kill his father. She was then warned, she states, to go home and say nothing.

GUNS AND KNIVES AT COLTON.

COLTON, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] José Luz resembles a piece of beefsteak today as the result of an encounter with a jealous rival over the affections of a señorita. The fight took place at midnight near the Southern Pacific station. Several shots were fired, and some windows were broken. Then the combatants drew their dirks and began carving each other. They were finally arrested.

CRIME BRIEFS.

Try to Crack Stockton Safe.

STOCKTON, Feb. 23.—An unsuccessful attempt was made early this morning to blow open the safe of the Novelty vaudeville theater. Though the burglars had everything ready to light the fuse, having broken off the knob and primed the safe with nitroglycerine, they were probably frightened away. There was over $600 in the safe. The janitor discovered the attempt upon coming to clean up.

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BRAVE.

JUMPS OUT OF BED; SHOOTS.

Woman, Alone in Cottage, Wounds Burglar.

Pool of Blood Under Window Attests Good Aim.

Neighborhood Searched by Police Vainly.

When Mrs. C. B. Hardin of No. 2632 Long Beach avenue, heard a noise at the bath-room window, early yesterday morning, she acted promptly. Taking a 32-cal. revolver from beneath her pillow, she crept to the window and fired through the screen at the form of a man. That the bullet took effect is evidenced by a pool of blood beneath the window. There is blood on the fence also. Detectives are watching the hospitals.

About a week ago a thief entered the Hardin cottage and secured $15 and some articles of clothing. Since that time, Mrs. Hardin has slept with a revolver close at hand. When awakened by a suspicious noise yesterday morning, she concluded that the thief had returned. As she fired, she says, she heard a groan, and then the sound of retreating footsteps.

The Hardins occupy an unpretentious four-room cottage near the intersection of East Adams street and Long Beach avenue. Cars pass close to the house on the four-track system of the Pacific Electric company, and it would be easy for a man to force open a screen under cover of the roar of a car, but the sound which aroused Mrs. Hardin came just after a car had passed.

She was alone in the house and was greatly frightened. Her husband does not return from his work until about 1:30 o'clock in the morning. Trembling and fearful that the man had already effected an entrance, Mrs. Hardin peered through the darkness and was relieved to see a form outside of the window.

Aiming for the head, she fired, and then did what most other women would have done under the circumstances—screamed. But her courage partially returned, as she heard the would-be burglar moving away, and she went to the rear door and called for help. It was several minutes before any one responded. Then the neighborhood was searched but without result.

The police were notified, and an examination this morning revealed the blood spots, which were followed a short distance across the sidewalk. Detectives have only the faintest clews to work upon. The intruder wore a small shoe, and was evidently below medium height as his head only reached about half way up the screen, according to Mrs. Hardin.

"When I heard that scraping noise at the screen," the woman said yesterday, "I thought some one was trying to rob our house again. I was in bed and was greatly frightened but I took the revolver and went to the bathroom as softly as possible, I dimly saw a man, with a slouch hat on, working at the screen. I fired right at his head and he dropped back into the yard. I know that I wounded him, and I thought at the time that I had killed him. I meant to get him when I fired."

The marks on the screen show the man must have been working for several minutes before he was discovered. He had cut completely around the wire and would soon have been able to enter the house.

"CLUB" RAIDED.

The "Overland Club" at Third street and Alameda street was raided early Sunday morning by the police, and nineteen negroes arrested. B. F. Wilkerson was charged with running a disorderly house and for violating the liquor ordinance. The others were charged with vagrancy. Several cases of beer found in the rooms were confiscated.

ASKED CHEAP FUNERAL.

Young Man Scribbles Brief Note to Sister and Then Fires Bullet Into His Brain.

"Bury me as cheaply as possible, and don't make any fuss about the funeral."

Michael McShane, proprietor of a cigar stand at Fifth and Wall streets, scribbled this brief note some time Saturday evening, and then sent a bullet into his brain. His body was found in his room at the Beulah apartments, No. 540 Wall street, yesterday morning. He had been dead several hours.

About three weeks ago, McShane, who was 30 years old, came to Los Angeles from Ely, Nev. He was broken in health as a result of exposure in the mining camps. He had been in Los Angeles only three weeks, and was of a quiet and retiring disposition. He was accompanied here by a sister, to whom the note, written just before his death, was addressed. The young woman is suffering severely from the shock.

There apparently was no reason why McShane should have desired to take his life. His small cigar store was beginning to pay well, and he had improved in health since coming to this city.

News of the sad death of the young man was telegraphed to his father at Ely, yesterday, and the leader McShane left at once for Los Angeles to take charge of the body, which is at Pierce Bros.' morgue.

STILL TALKING.

Mrs. A. J. Corker, a member of the Socialist Labor party and the New Thought Club, was arrested last night at Seventh street and Grand avenue while addressing on Socialistic problems. She was charged with speaking on the street without a permit, and deposited $100 for her appearance in court. A. F. Lindwall also was arrested on the same charge. A crowd of 500 Socialists and laborites, who gathered in the street, were dispersed.

SUPPLY HOUSE ROBBED.

The Jaeger Supply Company of No. 405 East Third street was entered by burglars early yesterday morning. About $500 worth of barbers' and butchers' supplies were stolen. The back door had been pried open with an iron bar, which the thieves left in the rear of the building.

WILL BLOW UP MAGAZINE.

Threatening Letter Received by Commander of Island Where Naval Explosives Are Stored.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—In a letter signed "Black Hand," and addressed to Commander Brauhstueter, in charge of the United States naval magazine at Iona Island, the threat is made that the enormous stores of smokeless powder on the island will be blown up unless the married men discharged from employment on the island, January 1, 1908, be put back to work at once. There are 30,000,000 pounds of smokeless powder and other explosives stored in the numerous magazines.

Secret-service men are working to discover the identity of the writer of the letter. Printed by hand, the letter was mailed at the Haverstraw postoffice two weeks ago. It is as follows:

"If the married men that were discharged from Iona Island are not taken back again at once, all the magazines on the island will be blown up. The writer does not fear death.

[Signed] "BLACK HAND."

On January 1, between thirty and forty men, all civilians, who had been employed on the island, were discharged, owing to delay in forwarding funds from Washington to continue the work. This delay was looked upon at the time as temporary, and it was understood the men would be taken back as soon as the money arrived. Among the men discharged, most of whom were laborers, were many Italians.

Since the receipt of the letter every approach to the island has been guarded day and night by marines, and the civilians employed have been kept under the strictest surveillance.

Iona Island is about seven miles south of West Point.

NEGRO KILLS POLICE CHIEF.

Narrowly Escapes Lynching During Excitement in Southern Town and Militia Is Out.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

FAYETTEVILLE (N. C.) Feb. 23.—Chief of Police Benton of this city was shot dead in front of his home here today, just after the churches had been let out, by a negro named Sam Murchison, who was crazed with drink. The man also shot two negroes a few minutes before he shot the officer.

Murchison was captured an hour after the shooting. He is suffering from a wound in the thigh inflicted by Chief Benton's sixteen-year-old son, who, after his father was shot, seized the dead officer's pistol and pursued the murderer. A crowd gathered and tried to take Murchison from the officers and lynch him, but the prisoner was landed in a cell after a hard struggle.

Another shooting occurred tonight when another negro attacked several white boys, and while resisting arrest shot a policeman and possibly fatally injured him. There is great excitement in the city and the military companies are on duty by order of the Governor.

WAS A BOLD, BAD BANDIT.

Tacoma Girl in Her Teens Dons Boy's Clothing and Assists in a Number of Hold-ups.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TACOMA, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Attired in boys' clothes and carrying a large caliber revolver, pretty 17-year-old Hazel Potter, daughter of a well-known Tacoma lumber man, has accompanied Harold True, her 15-year-old sweetheart, and aided in some of the most daring hold-ups ever perpetrated in the Northwest.

With the capture of the girl, True and Fred Irons, a 19-year-old youth who formed the third member of the gang, the detectives have cleared up all matters connected with a series of holdups which for four weeks made Tacomans afraid to go out at night in downtown residence districts.

True confesses to a score of attempted holdups, nine of which he admits were successful. His sweetheart was witness to most of these, and admits she actually participated in several. Nine men, who during four weeks reported they had been held up and robbed delivered their money and jewelry with trembling hands to the fearless juvenile robbers.

It was by mere chance that a detective overheard a conversation between the girl and boy at a local café which furnished the hint and resulted in their arrest.

PROBABLY MURDERED.

Rich Italian Wine Merchant Found With Skull Fractured, and Suffering from Poisoning.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Geralamo Cella, a wealthy Italian wine importer, a leading member of the Italian Chamber of Commerce, and a thirty-second degree Mason, died within a few moments after he was found early today in the office of his warehouse in West Broadway with his skull fractured and suffering from the effects of poison.

The police are working on the theory that a murder has been committed.

Coroner Harburger declared tonight that Cella was struck down by a hammer blow on the head and that his assailants later poured a liquid poison down his throat, presumably to give an appearance of suicide.

A letter signed with Cella's name, bidding good-by to his family, was found, and the Coroner's jury stated they believed the assailants forced Cella to write the letter under threat of death.

Cella was discovered by Dominick Cella, his brother, who has been detained as a suspicious person. Caesar Biachi, a son-in-law of Cella, is also held as a material witness.

Geralamo Cella has conducted a wine importing business in this city for many years, and is said to have amassed a fortune of $500,000.

RAILROAD RECORD.

TUNNEL TO BE THROWN OPEN.

Traffic Under Hudson River Begins Tomorrow.

First Two of the McAdoo Tubes Completed.

Two Others Will Soon Be Ready for Service.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The century-old task of overcoming the water barriers that have separated Manhattan Island from the country of which it is the metropolis, has at last been accomplished.

The first tunnel for passenger traffic under the North, or Hudson River, will be thrown open to the public at noon on Tuesday. The event, which spells the eventual doom of the Hudson ferryboats, and marks the completion of another stage of the vast projected system of underground and underwater transportation in the greater city, will be celebrated officially by the builders and by the highest officials of the State and nation, and unofficially by tens of thousands of commuters.

President Roosevelt, at his desk in the executive offices at Washington, will press a button to signal the opening of the tube, and the Governors of New York and New Jersey will participate in the ceremonies at the tunnel mouths.

PART OF M'ADOO SYSTEM.

The first of the tunnels to be opened is a part of the so-called McAdoo system, thus named in honor of William G. McAdoo, president of the Hudson and Manhattan Railway Company, a young Tennessean, whose pluck and energy secured the backing and made the tunnels an accomplished fact. The bore of this first completed means of under-river transportation, leads from Morton street on the lower west side of New York, to Hoboken, N. J. The tunnel consists of two tubes, in which shuttle trains of eight cars each, propelled by electricity, will be operated. Two more tubes of the McAdoo system are nearing completion. Their Manhattan terminus will be at Cortlandt street—now an important ferry center—and the New Jersey end will be in Jersey City. Both at Hoboken and at Jersey City the tunnels have connections with several of the most important railroads leading into the city.

MORE TO BE BUILT.

The North River tunnel service is to be augmented later on by the opening of the Pennsylvania Railroad tubes to connect their lines with the magnificent new station now under construction at Thirty-second street and Seventh avenue. The first of these bores was connected on Friday last.

The McAdoo tunnel system includes subway branches under New York City, leading from the downtown stations to the heart of the shopping districts. The tunnels also will connect with the main subway routes of the city and with the Pennsylvania tunnels.

A feature of the system is the Cortlandt terminal. Two buildings, occupying a frontage of two blocks and rising twenty-two stories above the sidewalk, have been constructed. The train stations are in the sub-basement, and the offices will house some 10,000 people.

PORTLAND GATEWAY CLOSED.

Interstate Commerce Commission Has Ordered Practically All Tariffs via That City Canceled.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—It was announced yesterday that the Interstate Commerce Commission has made a ruling compelling the Union Pacific, Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul; Chicago and Northwestern, Missouri Pacific, and other railroads, to cancel all tariffs on file to the far Northwest through Portland, Or., which have not been concurred in by the Northern Pacific.

The order means that all one-way business from Chicago and contiguous points which has heretofore been routed to Seattle via Granger, thence over the Short Line to Huntington, from there over the Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company to Portland, and thence to Seattle over the Northern Pacific, must hereafter be routed by way of St. Paul or over the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, through Billings, Mont.

The Portland gateway has long been a point of dispute between the Northern Pacific and its southern competitors. The Northern Pacific has always refused to participate in a sale of tickets through to Seattle unless they were routed through St. Paul or Billings, thereby securing the long haul.

The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, in an effort to overcome this attitude, sought to file a schedule with the Interstate Commerce Commission stating that its through tariff included a local ticket purchased at Portland by the railroad company, and given to the passenger so that he might reach Seattle or contiguous points over the Northern Pacific. This tariff was declared illegal by the commission, and when its attention was called to similar scheduled filed by other roads, all were ordered canceled. It was held that all tariffs filed by a road must have the written concurrence of all other roads over which tickets are sold.

LUMBER RATE WAR.

SETTLEMENT IN SIGHT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TACOMA, Feb. 23.—The first step looking to a settlement of the freight rate controversy, which has paralyzed the lumber trade of the Pacific Northwest was taken yesterday.

An official notice was mailed tonight by the heads of the legal departments of the Hill roads to Frederick Bausman of Seattle, chairman of the Conciliation Committee of the affiliated commercial organizations of the Northwest, to the effect that the Hill roads will agree to accept lumber shipments from any shipper on individual bond provided the Federal Court will amend the injunction issued October 25.

It appears the Hill roads are to suffer as much from the rate as the lumbering interests, and are anxious to bring about some kind of peace pending a decision by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

BIG PLANT AT SPARKS.

ESPEE'S POWER PROJECT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RENO (Nev.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Southern Pacific announces it will soon install a plant for generating all of the electricity for power and light in the shops at Sparks. The plant will be equipped with 540-horse-power and will cost $50,000. It is understood work will be started as soon as the formal report of President Napthaly is received.

SPORTING NEWS, LOCAL AND TELEGRAPHIC.

ALL READY.

LOS ANGELES TEAM SIGNED.

Manager Berry Comes to Terms With Randolph.

Jud Smith Is Expected to Sign Papers Today.

Fresno Outlaw Manager Is Very Sanguine.

Manager Berry of the Los Angeles baseball team can now look himself in the face without frowning, for he has his team for this season in sight, the only man who have not actually signed being Jud Smith for third base and Pitchers Randolph and Dolly Gray. Randolph has accepted Berry's offer, Dolly Gray's contract has been sent him and Jud Smith is looked upon as a certainty and will probably sign today.

Randolph has been reported as flirting with the outlaw State League and it was thought for several weeks that he might decide to join some team near San Francisco, because his father wanted him to go to school. Berry was so sure of Randolph that he did not send his contract, but when the school stories were sent out, the fat manager got busy with the typewriter and wrote the contract. Randy wired to Berry the sum he wanted for this season and Berry sent back an answer yesterday that the amount would be paid, so this one can be counted on as "in." Eager sent his contract yesterday and now everything is lovely.

Those who have actually signed are Eager, Bernard, Brashear, Dillon, Hosp, Delmas, Ellis, Easterly, Hogan, Nagle and the new local pitcher, Phillips, and the easterners, Thorson and Koestner, and the outfielder, Oakes. A few of the boys are working now and all are supposed to report for spring practice next Monday, March 2.

OUTLAWS AMBITIOUS.

A. B. Evans, formerly president of the Fresno Coast League team and now at the head of the Fresno outlaw club, caused a little ripple on the local baseball puddle by appearing here last week; but cut little ice, owing to the fact that there was none to cut. Evans is a nice fellow and naturally thinks the outlaws will rip the Coast League this year, but no other man takes the thought seriously. The teams that will be in the outlaw league are Fresno, Stockton, Sacramento, Alameda, Oakland, San Francisco, Santa Cruz and San José, the season to begin March 23 and continue until November 15, games to be played on Saturday and Sunday only. This means that positions will have to be found for over one hundred ball players, in groceries, banks and cigar stores. Whether or not the various merchants in the affected cities can stand this business all summer, remains to be seen, and in the meantime the Coast League magnates are laughing at the outlaws.

Mr. Evans stated that his team would be made up of the following players: Charley Baum, pitcher and manager; Blankenship, cautain and catcher; Kelley of Wichita, Kan., second base; Houser of Altoona, first base; Charley Irwin, third base; Carrick of the Newark team, pitcher; Maul of the Texas League; Brooks of Atlanta, Ga.; Bull Croll of Seattle, Smith of the Three I League; Irby of Butte and Duncan of Fresno in right field. Evans declares that Pitcher Burns of last year's Los Angeles team has accepted the offer of Fresno and it is now up to Burns to play or not. This much might scare little boys at night, but it would not frighten the Los Angeles champions. Manager Berry says he hopes the outlaws will really play this season, for they will give a lot of ball players some easy money and thereby sting the outlaw magnates good and deep, for it costs real money to run a ball team all summer.

It is reported that the reason Stricklett left the Santa Cruz team for San José is that he wanted a two-year contract at $350 a month and an interest in the club. This was more than the Santa Cruz merchants would stand for, according to report.

SUNDAY BASEBALL.

WINTER LEAGUE STANDING.

Baseball in the California Winter League yesterday worked no change in the standing of the teams. Double-headers were played at Chutes Park and at Pasadena. In the first Chutes game the Hoegees beat the McCormicks by the score of 8 to 2. In the second the Edisons beat the Meeks, 5 to 1. Pasadena beat Dolgeville twice, by the scores of 9 to 1 and 4 to 2. The second game went seven innings.

Other scores were: Santa Ana 3, San Pedro 0, at Santa Ana; Santa Monica 9, Christopher-Levys 4, at Santa Monica. The Morans defaulted to Santa Barbara, and the latter team claimed the game by the score of 9 to 0. The Morans are slated for removal from the league at the next meeting of the directors.

The standing of the teams is:

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P.ct.
**Santa Ana	14	10	3	.833
**San Pedro	19	12	5	.706
Santa Barbara	17	12	5	.706
Pasadena	19	13	6	.684
**Santa Monica	14	8	4	.667
*Hoegees	15	8	6	.571
*Edisons	18	8	9	.471
McCormicks	15	5	10	.333
*Meeks	18	4	14	.222
Christopher-Levys	16	3	13	.188
Dolgeville	10	1	9	.100

*Tie games.

SOUTHERN STATE LEAGUE.

Four shut-out games were played in the Southern State League yesterday. At Joy Park the Dyas-Clines defeated the News-Greens by the score of 2 to 0. Lyman, of the Dyas-Clines, struck out thirteen, and Wiesel of the News-Greens team, fanned eight. The Dyas-Clines made four hits and five errors. The News-Greens secured six hits and made three errors. Batteries were, Lyman and Cross for the Dyas-Clines; Wiesel and Eagle, for the News-Greens.

The Salt Lakes beat the Nofzigers 5 to 0 at Agricultural Park. Hits, Salt Lakes, 9; Nofzigers, 5; errors, Salt Lakes, 2; Nofzigers, 3. Batteries, Grayson and Seare for the Salt Lakes; Ganahl and Thompson for the Nofzigers. Three strike-outs were, Grayson 7, Ganahl 4, Daley and Garett made three-baggers.

At Arcadia the score was, Eagles 2, Seal Gardens 0. The Eagles made nine hits and four errors; Seal gardens got six hits and three errors. Batteries, Leonard and Hoff for the Eagles; Jones and Price for Seal Gardens. Struck out, by Jones, 6; by Leonard, 9. The heavy hitters were Jones, with a single, a two-bagger and three-bagger, and Haight, with two singles and a two-bagger.

The Lordsburg game resulted in a 7-to-0 victory for the University Merchants. Three three-base hits in the ninth inning did the work. Summary: Merchants, hits 7, errors 3; Lordsburg, hits 4, errors 5. Struck out, by Dolan, 10; by Coleman 8.

Standing of the teams:

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P.ct.
University Merchants	4	4	0	1000
Salt Lakes	2	2	0	1000
Eagles	4	3	1	.750
Dyas-Clines	4	2	2	.500
Lordsburg	4	1	3	.333
Seal Gardens	1	0	1	.000
News-Greens	1	0	1	.000
Nofzigers	2	0	2	.000

Other results were:

Midwinter League—Florence 6, Thistles 3, at Florence; Pendo No. 1, 6; Watts 5, at Thirty-eighth and Santa Fé; Home Council No. 2, 4; Pendo No. 1, 2, at Thirty-eighth and Santa Fé.

Valley League—Hornets 9, Esperandos 2, at Washington and Alameda; Highland Park 12, Lions 7, at Highland Park; Los Angeles Cubs 9, P.C.B. Co. 4, same grounds; P.C.B. Co. 9, Palms 5, at County Hospital; Belvederes 7, Herogons 6, at Rowan-street diamond.

Old Player Dead.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—James H. Mullee, an old-time ball player who was a pitcher for teams in Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland and Seattle, in former days, died here today of pneumonia. Mullee's greatest fame came when he pitched a game in which the old pioneers defeated a team of all stars from the big eastern leagues.

Outlaws Win.

SAN JOSE, Feb. 23.—The San José State League team today defeated Santa Clara college, 1 to 0, in a twelve-inning game.

HARD AT IT.

BRITT NEAR THE WEIGHT.

JUST THREE POUNDS ABOVE THE FIGURES YESTERDAY.

Will Take Things Easily Today and Start Again on the Grind Tomorrow—Nelson Plugging Away Quietly Down at San Pedro—Large Crowds Visit Both Training Camps.

It was a lively Sunday yesterday in the fight camps of both Britt and Bat Nelson and big crowds of sports turned out to see the men work. Britt very naturally drew the larger number of spectators, for the Eastside Club, where he is working, is comparatively near the business center and can be reached with little effort, while Nelson is at a disadvantage in being so far away at San Pedro. Still, he gets a large percentage of the regular Sunday beach crowd and has no complaint to make on the score of attention, for Bat is always more or less of a drawing card, no matter where he is or what he is doing. He is not boosting himself very much.

Britt was the card yesterday on account of the location and a large number of sports saw him work. He did not do any road running in the morning, but went through his usual hard stunts in the afternoon, with the skipping rope, pulleys and the bag. In addition, he went some fast rounds with Danny Webster and another boy and Brother Willus, the circus poster kid, gave out the information that Jimmy weighed 136 pounds last evening. He is so close to the weight of 133 pounds, that he came into the city last evening to attend a theater.

Jimmy will not do any work today, for Willus wants him to have a little rest, but he will get busy again tomorrow and will be "at home" all this week at the Eastside Club, after today. He says he is strong and feels in good condition and declares he will have no trouble in making the required weight.

NEW ORLEANS BUSY.

BARRY AND FLYNN SATURDAY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The fight game is on the boom in this city, especially since New Orleans is one of the few cities where prize fights are allowed and decisions given. With the racing going on and three fights to come off, the Mardi Gras visitors will not lack for entertainment.

A number of lovers of the pugilistic game all over the country are coming here to see these three bouts at the Y.M.G.C., the Southern Athletic Club and the Coliseum. On Saturday night at the Coliseum, Jim Flynn, the Pueblo fireman, and Jim Barry of Chicago will mix it for ten rounds. The Young Men's Gymnastic Club, on Friday evening, promises the lovers of the game some real fighting. The main attraction will be in the ten-round go between Jimmy Moran of New York and Johnny Lynch of Boston.

PHILADELPHIA FIGHTS.

LITTLE DOING THIS WEEK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] This will be the most quiet week of the winter in boxing circles here. The authorities have refused a permit for Billy McCarney's new club in West Philadelphia. This club was to have opened tomorrow night with Philadelphia Jack O'Brien and Jack Bonner in the wind-up. O'Brien is reported to be the backer of the club and unless he can get the authorities to let him open up he will be a good sized sum out of pocket for fitting up the hall. The bouts scheduled for the week are:

Wednesday, Wayne Athletic Club, Harry Berger and Young Tommy Coleman; Thursday, Jack Blackburn and George Gunther.

There will be a double wind-up at the Ontario Athletic Club on Friday and an all-star show at the National Athletic Club on Saturday.

BONNIE STRUGGLE.

ENGLISH WIN FROM RANGERS.

Good Crowd Sees Fine Soccer Football Game.

Capt. Constable Sprains His Ankle in First Half.

Forwards of the Beaten Team Are Poor Marksmen.

The Los Angeles Association soccer team defeated the Rangers by a score of 4 goals to 2 in a fast and interesting football game yesterday afternoon at Fiesta Park. By this victory the Britishers have raised their average sufficiently to make it possible for them to win the championship, if they are able to do the same thing with the Thistles in later games.

Elliot and Yorke were back in the forward line of the English team, and, on paper, it looked as though they would be able to defeat the Rangers with comparative ease, but Pat Higgins was away from the back field and as neither of the two star forwards have had much practice recently they were not in the best of condition. The British forward line was further weakened during the first half of play by an accident to Constable. He was obliged to leave the field, and Morris stepped back to take his place, leaving only four forwards to do the scoring.

There were times when it seemed as though the English forwards were half asleep, or entirely out of breath; then they would suddenly spurt and take the ball down the field in a rush that took the spectators off their feet. If Elliot and Yorke had been in better shape physically, there is little doubt that the score would have been larger.

The team work of the Ranger forwards was very good up to a certain point. That point was directly in front of the English goal. Their passing when they got away for a rush down the field, was admirable and they seemed able to outrun the opposing backs, but, as soon as they had a chance to shoot they got nervous and kicked wildly. Towards the end of the game there were more than a dozen good openings, all of which failed on account of poor shooting.

Walton played in his right position at half-back and put up a magnificent game. The last three goals scored by the English were due to his clearing with the ball and passing neatly to the forwards. On defense, he was sure and many times broke through with the ball when there were two of the opposing team trying to take it away from him.

Morris was a pleasant surprise by the game he put up at back. He was very energetic and his kicking was wonderfully sure. He was the cause of many fine rushes by the Rangers being broken up.

Porteous and Todd, the Ranger fullbacks, played an excellent defensive game and the former showed speed and sure kicking that prevented the English forwards from scoring many times. The Ranger forwards were superior to their opponents in starting rushes and dribbling the ball down the field, but not one of them showed any genius for getting the ball between the goal posts.

LOSERS SCORE FIRST.

The Rangers kicked off and their forwards immediately took possession. They passed the ball down the field with a rush, Caswell scoring after the game had lasted but a few seconds. In less than five minutes after the first goal had been scored, Elliot got away and, after a fine dribbling run, shot the ball unerringly into a spot which the goal keeper could not reach. This tied the score.

For the next ten minutes the English forwards rushed the ball down the field time after time, only to fail at the end. Then they ran into a slack spell and the Rangers took a turn. The red-shirted forwards took possession and started a series of center-field rushes that seemed certain to score for them, but each time the best they could do was to put the ball over the goal line, for a goal kick. This kept Morris, Kitchin and Lane very busy, but they were in excellent condition and always managed to either stop the rush or balk their opponents into shooting wildly.

Then followed the cleverest play of the afternoon. Brickly had possession of the ball and was getting ready to pass when he was charged by a Ranger full-back. He is a small man and he went over like a ninepin. But he kept his head and while he was sitting on the ground and his opponent was looking around for the ball, he quickly gave the sphere a push with his leg, with just sufficient force to place it in front of Elliot. The latter saw a chance to shoot and sent in a low, hard kick which started the ball flying for an apparently certain score. But the direction was not true and the ball slid by the goal post on the outside.

The goal kick that followed this play sent the ball well into British territory and the Ranger forwards were quick to take advantage. Mellor dodged Kitchin and sent the ball past Barwell for the Rangers' second goal.

PLAYER INJURED.

Constable had been charged during the last brush and had twisted his ankle. He tried to play, but was unable to run and was forced to leave the field. Morris went back to take his place, but prospects looked dreary for the Britishers.

The Rangers were very aggressive during the remainder of the first half of play and there was one time when it seemed certain that they would score. All five Ranger forwards were well up in front of their opponents' goal and had possession of the ball. There was a mix-up which looked bad for the Britishers, but Morris came through on a hard run and kicked well into clear territory. Half time was called at this point.

The earlier part of the second half of play saw the finest work of the English forwards. Miller, at outside right, was particularly energetic.

A corner gained nothing for the British players but, after the resulting goal kick, the ball went out of touch on the twenty-five yard line. Walton threw out and in so doing, started the play which resulted in the second score for the English. Brickley heeled the ball back to Elliot, who methodically booted to Yorke. Yorke had on full speed when he reached the ball and little trouble in rushing it through. This tied the score again, with the British forwards well into their stride.

Walton was showing up very well about this time and brought forth many cheers from the bleachers by his clever work. He fed his forwards just at the right time and, after he had done so ineffectually several times, finally broke through and dribbled past several Rangers before he passed. Then he centered to Elliot, who shot across to Yorke. Yorke rushed as far as he could and then sent to Brickley, who shot hard and low and sent the ball through the goal. Score 3 to 2 in favor of the English.

The British forwards' good work ended with the last score, which came in the next five minutes. Walton duplicated his last play and was so near the goal that he took a shot. This failed but he took possession again after the goal kick and this time he centered. Elliot blocked and passed to Yorke, who shot neatly for the last goal.

After that the Ranger forwards seemed to be having an easy time to get possession, but were unable to score.

Kitchen raised a laugh from the bleachers by a clever piece of work just before time was called. A hard kick sent the ball down to the English goal line. Kitchen ran to return and was threatened by Caswell, who ran down to rush him. Just as Caswell reached him and was in a position to block Kitchen's kick, the latter stepped to one side, allowing the ball to cross the line, thus giving a goal kick to his side.

Time was called with the ball in British territory and the Rangers constantly threatening.

The line-up was:

English.		Rangers.
Yorke	O. L.	Ball
Morris	I. L.	Caswell
Elliot	C. F.	Mellor
Brickley	I. R.	McCubbin
Miller	O. R.	Low
Hevans	I. H.	Humphreys
Constable (c)	C. H.	Gerrard (c)
Walton	R. H.	Kelly
Kitchin	L. B.	Porteous
Lane	R. B.	Todd
Barwell	G.	Peterson

Cohen, referee; Gorfunkle (Thistles) and Bowen (L. A. Association) touch judges.

Standing of the teams:

Clubs—	P.	W.	L.	T.	Goals for	Goals ag't.	P.
Thistles	1	1	0	0	5	2	2
Rangers	1	0	1	0	2	5	0
Los Angeles	2	1	1	0	7	4	2

RIVERSIDE RACES.

Season Opens With Good Programme of Harness Events and Dashes for the Runners.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The season at the Riverside Driving Park opened Saturday afternoon with a good matinée given by the Riverside Driving Club.

The ... race, a 2:40 pace, was won by Mammy, owned by A. B. Miller and driven by Axel Nelson. Coupon, owned by J. . Garner, was second. Time 1:17½, 1:17 1-4, for half-mile heats. In the 2:30 trot, the winner was Tom McKinney, owned and driven by Dr. F. Ramsey. S. R. McDougall's Pete was second. Time 1:13½, 1:15 and 1:15. The special trot was won by Laureta, owned by W. A. Hayt and driven by G. H. Judd. Time 1:12, 1:25 and 1:16. In the free-for-all pace, Harry H., owned by V. E. Reynolds and driven by F. A. Ramsey, was the winner. Maidie, owned and driven by G. H. Judd, was second. Time 1:14, 1:10½. The three-minute mixed race was won by Orin A., owned and driven by Harry Germain. Prince Valentine was second. Time 1:24, 1:23½ and 1:22. The 2:40 trot was won by Staton McGerg, owned by Ed Simmons and driven by G. H. Judd. Time 1:22 and 1:22.

In the quarter-mile dash, the winner was R. L. Bettner's Mignonette, ridden by J. P. Norton. Time 0:26. The Kid, owned by T. B. Jenkinson, came in second. The last event was the half-mile dash, which was won by R. L. Bettner's Mignonette, time, 0:52. Jenkinson's Annie Burke was second.

LAWSON THE WINNER.

Shows His Class by Finishing First in Big Bicycle Race—Bedell Is a Close Second.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BOSTON, Feb. 23.—Iver Lawson of Salt Lake, by his famous jump sprint, won the six-day bicycle race at the Park Square Coliseum last night. He completed 415 miles and 9 laps in 21 hours, the race being run two hours and one-half each night during the six days' contest, until yesterday, when the events began at 2 o'clock and finished at 10:30 last night.

John Bedell of New York was second, two lengths behind Lawson; Floyd Krebs of Newark, N. J., third; Joseph Fogler of New York fourth; Charles Sherwood, New York, fifth; Walter Bardgett, Buffalo, sixth; Matt Downey, Boston, seventh, and N. M. Anderson of Denmark, eighth, all covering the 415 miles, 9 laps.

GOLF MATCHES TODAY.

Sixteen Men Start Off This Morning on First Match Play in the Amateur Championship.

The match play rounds of the men's amateur championship of Southern California will begin this morning at 9 o'clock at the Los Angeles Country Club and will continue each morning and afternoon until but two players remain. The drawing for today's play is as follows:

Wilshire and Mumford, Swift and C. L. Hunter, R. Hixon and Kaime, Morris and Lines, R. E. Hunter and Braly, Jack Jevne and F. P. Hixon, Armstrong and Lumgair, Paul Hunter and Wright.

Tennis Contest.

Occidental Academy and Hollywood High School will engage in a tennis tournament this afternoon on the Hollywood courts. Mace and Lowry will represent the Presbyterian school, and Ferguson and Douglas will play for the home school. Next Saturday Occidental will meet Harvard Military School on the soldiers' court.

Nordyke Is Sold.

ST. PAUL, Feb. 23.—George E. Lennon, owner of the St. Paul baseball team, yesterday sold Joseph Sugden, catcher, and Louis Nordyke, first baseman, to the Vancouver, B. C., team of the Northwestern League. Both players came to St. Paul from the St. Louis Americans.

Mueller Beaten.

GRAND RAPIDS, (Mich.) Feb. 23.—Charles Hackenschmidt of Des Moines, defeated M. S. Mueller of New York City, in two straight falls at the Olympic Athletic Club here last night. Time, 25:16 and 15:00.

Hornets Sting Senators.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 23.—The Oakland Hornet Association football team won from the local consolidated team today by a score of 5 to 1, breaking the tie of yesterday, when each team made one goal.

May Sutton Loses.

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 23.—The final event of the tennis tournament at Coronado was the mixed doubles today. Mrs. B. O. Bruce and Thomas Bundy defeated May Sutton and A. C. Way. Score, 8-6, 9-7.

BEST YET.

RIFLES CRACK ON NEW RANGE.

Redondo Shoot Brings Out an Immense Crowd.

Barbecue Is the Feature of a Two Days' Outing.

Perfect Score by L. J. Norman With Small Gun.

By far the most successful shoot the California Rifles have yet had was held at the new Redondo rifle range yesterday, the second of the two days' outing of the organization. The first clear Sunday since the Rifles were organized brought out a great crowd of marksmen and spectators.

The shooting did not average as well as on previous days, probably because the marksmen were unaccustomed to the new range. Three targets were in almost constant use after 10 o'clock, and revolvers and both small and large-caliber rifles were used in the three events.

The new range is well equipped for the use of rifles, with two targets at 200 yards, a 100-yard target for rifles of small caliber and a 50-yard target for revolvers. A numbers of those who attended the shoot on Saturday remained at the camp all night, sleeping in a large shed.

A feature of the two days' meeting were the meals of barbecued meat, with coffee, bread, frijoles and numerous Spanish dishes. Fully 200 were served at the Sunday noon meal.

Capt. A. C. Freeman won the revolver shoot with a score of 47. The rifle contest on the 200-yard range was won by E. D. Neff of Pasadena, who scored 44. L. J. Norman made a perfect score in the competition with .22 caliber rifles. Most of the marksmen shot three or four rounds. Their best performances appear in the following list of scores, those under 25 not being included:

Scores:

Revolvers, 50-yard target: A. C. Freeman, 47; J. S. Hendrickson, 43; H. D. Watts, 42; A. Hotz, 41; C. L. Giddings, 41; George von Webber, 41; R. A. Lockett, 33; J. Norman, 33; E. D. Neff, 26.

Rifles, 200-yard target: E. D. Neff, 44; L. J. Weddington, 42; Ralph O. Hanson, 43; A. D. Ostrander, 42; W. Goldsworthy, 39; H. D. Watts, 39; C. L. Giddings, 38; J. S. Hendrickson, 37; J. H. Greenway, 37; Ben Harrison, 29; E. W. Stine, 35; W. Storey, 32; Don Orrill, 28; George von Webber, 32; H. G. Leonard, 36; H. M. Lockett, 32; L. Andrews, 34; J. Addison, 32; E. J. Zerr, 31; F. M. Cooper, 29; E. W. Buck, 27; G. Hellerman, 26; Fred Calloway, 25, W. H. Leonard, 27; Elmer Lowe, 29; O. M. Paine, 26; John E. Lechner, 30; H. D. Watts, 30.

One hundred yards, 22-caliber rifles: L. J. Norman, 50; F. S. Shines, 48; A. H. Graff, 45; L. J. Weddington, 44; W. H. Leonard, 43; W. B. Thompson, 45; W. Storey, 43; George S. Simpson, 41; J. M. Cooper, 41; W. F. Zeerer, 39; J. W. Davidson, 30; R. H. Jeffries, 37.

Fifty-yard target, rifles, 5 shots: Miss H. D. Kinch, 23; Miss Viola Talamantes, 23.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL.

Occidental Teams Will Meet Today. Final Championship Set for Wednesday Afternoon.

Occidental freshmen and sophomores will meet this afternoon in the girls' basketball tournament for the President's cup. The winners today will play the seniors tomorrow afternoon for the championship of the college, and on Wednesday the college champions will meet the second-year academy team for the championship of the institution.

On account of the strong rivalry between the lower classes, the students are taking considerable interest in the contest to be held this afternoon. The freshmen are duped to win today, and are the general favorite for first honors in the tournament.

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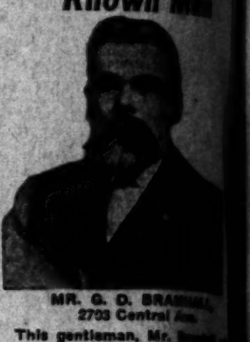

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"If your thought revert rather to industrial and financial disorders, to the grinding of poverty by power, to the cry of children and of women, to the white slavery of betrayed girls and the sooty slavery of embruted miners, to the cunning of greed and to its cloak of legal respectability and its array of hired henchmen; to the unrest, the struggle that never ends, the periodic upheaval from which wealth emerges more than ever engorged, while dependence is confirmed and tenure of position is made more insecure—here, too, the grand ideal blazes forth, not more in the light of religious sentiment than of sound economic principle.

"The word that interprets the hopes and fires the expectations of sane thinkers is coöperation. Even the trust must be approved thus far. It has taught us the value of combination, its industrial wisdom, its economic necessity, and it shall go hard but we will better by the instruction. In some mode of mutuality, where service rather than personal gain shall be the motto, where nobleness oblige, where the strong shall find his privilege in upholding the weak, and the weak his glory in honoring the strong, we already see the coming solution of the problem. We have not yet attained, but we press toward the mark, which is in plain view before us.

"But if we inquire: 'How it is with religion? Where have we come in that journey?' The answer is not so difficult as at first blush would appear. The paradox of our time is that while it is repudiating creeds it is vindicating faith; while never so unsettled upon points of dogma, it was never so clear upon fundamental principles, while casting into limbo the complexities of system and regime, it is swiftly arriving at a simple, essential harmony of life. And the key thought, which tests our progress and beckons it forward, is the benevolence of the universe, the Fatherhood of God, the spirit of love in Him which controls His providence and sounds the depths of our own being. Man is God's child, subject to His care at all times, disciplined, lessoned, chastised as may be needed, but gradually coming to consciousness of himself, and advancing upon the eternal field a victor and heir forever. It is to be a religion of realities, of evolution, of joy and power, of universal range, of rational motives, and assured results. We know not yet what shall be, but we know that we shall be like Him. The little words of creed and conformity, and rite and millinery are going, the big words of God, the soul and life eternal, are being pronounced with wisdom never seen before.

"And with this we have reached a point where we can estimate the worth of the individual. We now know that each of us is in the center of the universe, the apple of God's eye. It is through the erectness and expansion of the separate soul that salvation is to come; and social as well as individual redemption starts with the recognition of God in His world as its true and only Lord. The future will be larger than the present, but we are already at the moment when the assurance of triumph is complete and the outlook divine."

Talmage's Farewell.

In his farewell sermon at the First Presbyterian Church, yesterday, Rev. Dr. Frank De Witt Talmage said in part:

"No people could have been as happy as we have been without looking upon this as one of the saddest days of our lives. We have fought a good fight. We have kept the faith. And up to the time of my resignation only love and sympathy have been shown to me. No wonder I look upon this as the happiest pastorate of my happy life. Could I speak any words but those of gratitude at this time? But I must make my parting salutation more than a few pleasant encomiums.

"Warning the first. Never allow anything to disturb the peaceful harmonies of this congregation. No matter what personal sacrifices are demanded, sacrifice all for internal peace. Good people will go to any church on earth but to a fighting church. When I became your pastor, the first great desire of my ministry was to have harmony at any price. So careful was I in this respect that I would never start any great move in the church without the full concurrence of all the members of its official boards. And in order to bind these boards closer together, I used to have their members assemble two or three times a year at my house for social pleasure.

"I plead with you never to allow factions to enter into this church. Never have your majorities and your minorities. Either all agree upon a certain move or veto that move. A church is not a place for a political caucus. It is the place for the family of God. In this family every one must be willing to surrender personal desires.

"The second warning is: Always strive to keep your strong men in the leading church positions. Now it does not take any great genius to drive a strong man out of a church. It does not take any remarkable acumen to get a rich man to hermetically seal his pocketbook and give nothing. And yet the strange fact is that the only difficulty I have ever had in church work is from the men and the women who financially give nothing or practically nothing. If a man has paid no pew rent for two or three years, or only a very meager sum, that man is ready to take the past master's degree in the 'Order of the Omnipotent Kickers.' The men who are the most liberal givers and the men who pay off the debts of a church are never the complainers of a church. And yet these men are the easiest to drive out of the church if they feel that the people are not willing to follow their ideas.

"This church can never be too grateful to such benefactors as W. H. Chamberlain, P. H. Mathews, Paul Haupt, Dr. Davis, J. W. Tomblin, J. Frank Bowen, A. C. Harper, R. W. Bailey and Herbert G. Wylie, and, last but not least, to that noble lady whom we all love and honor, Mrs. Ellen Salisbury. Others have sacrificed. But these people gave their thousands of dollars to put this church where it is. And yet, strange to say, the men who give nothing are sometimes jealous of those who do give, but the men who give the large sums for church work should always be the dictators of how that money is to be spent.

"My last and most important advice is this: Do not make your future minister a carryall. That is what you have made me. You have done this because you love me, but still the fact remains that you have made me carry most of you along like a lot of little children. If there was a lot of money to be raised you let me raise it. If there was a person to be called upon, you let me call. That was all right. But the great mass of this congregation would do no calling upon each other. You would find fault because other people would not call upon you, yet you would call upon no one. And I want to tell you, my friends, that the calling of church members upon each other is even more important than the calling of the pastor.

"And then the little nagging, fault-finding troubles. It is a shame, a perfect shame how much of my time I had to waste running from house to house to fix up the silly differences with which you ran to your minister. Do not break down your future pastor, as so many congregations are doing. I tell you it is a shame, a brutal shame, to drive your pastor into physical exhaustion with a lot of useless and petty details which he has no business to carry. If you all pull together, the load will not be hard for any one person.

"Stick to the old church. Be as true and faithful to the incoming pastor as you have been to me. Remember you may not like him as well in the beginning as you do me. Our love has been made sacred by trouble. But after awhile he will be with you in times of sorrow as I have been, then you will learn to love him as you love me. And furthermore, remember that you are the connecting link of the present and the future of this church. What you do now will decide what this church is to be ten years from now. Pray hard that God will send you the right minister. Pray hard that you shall receive him in the right spirit. Pray hard that you shall continue to do in this church the work God has given you to do."

"Behold, Now."

Rev. William Horace Day preached yesterday morning at the First Congregational Church from the text: "Behold, Now." In the course of the sermon, he said:

St. Paul was a true sport. He had a keen interest in athletics. As a trainer, preparing men for a hundred yards dash, would line them up and send them off with a 'Ready-go,' so we hear the apostle summon his converts to the spiritual dash with the words 'Behold-N w.' These words are a call to the church.

"To the little group of men in Galilee Christ said: Upon this rock I will found my church.' These men went leavening the life of Palestine. It was this invisible Presence who sent Paul and John about the shores of the Mediterranean. From Asia Minor He called a boy and set him to learn of Polycarp, the friend of John. This boy, Irenaeus, bore the gospel to Paul. In Egypt He called Clement and Origen; at Carthage, Tertullian. We hear the great preacher Justin saying of the Roman world about the Mediterranean in 150: 'There is not one single race of men, whether Barbarians or Greeks, or whatever they may be called, among whom prayers and giving of thanks are not offered through the name of the crucified Christ.' Tertullian said to a Roman official: 'We are but of yesterday and yet we have filled every place belonging to you—we leave you your temples only.' That is how the Roman world was won. Long before the rulers of the empire understood what was going on, He who is 'the heir of all things' was there coming to His own.

"In Atlantic lands we find the same process. He calls to the men of spiritual vision. To them he whispered 'Behold, now,' and they wrought their witness to their own times. Germany, Scandinavia, Britain were won. The Church reached the people because the Lord's call was obeyed by Patrick, Columba, Augustine, Boniface, Wyklif, Knox, Wesley, Whitfield, Finney, Beecher, Moody and all the rest. Only as His Church is true can He come to His own upon the shores of this greatest and last of the seas. If our fleet shall finally circle the shores of this greatest and last of the many a landmark of the unobserved movement by which the Lord comes to His own. Yonder on the frontier, between Chili and Argentina, upon the summit of the Andes there stands a mighty statue of the Christ. Edward Everett Hale has well called this the most dramatic incident in modern history. In 1900, these republics were on the eve of war and a good bishop of Argentina begged for arbitration. Edwards of England was chosen referee. His award was accepted and, in 1904, this statue, cast from the metal of cannon, with its uplifted cross and hand of blessing, was set up, saying to the world: 'These mountains shall crumble to dust ere Argentines and Chileans break the peace which, at the feet of Christ the Redeemer, they have sworn to maintain.'

"In spite of our sins California shows in her churches, schools and hospitals that the Christ is a real presence in this land.

"'Behold, Now,' is the call to the church in this shore of the great sea. Now is the day of salvation. When you teach the children of our Bible school classes; when you, public school teacher, instruct the lads of this city do not lightly esteem what you do. Not only have you caused the angels to rejoice in one more won to the service of the Lord, but you may have helped to prepare some man upon whom the destinies of tomorrow are to rest.

"'Behold, Now,' is the call to the soul. What answer will you give? Wayland Hoyt said: 'He who deliberately puts off repentance, deliberately determines to go on sinning.' Will you not come confessing Him before men and help bring in the promised day 'when every knee shall bow and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.'"

HELPING THE FRIENDLESS.

General Secretary of Y.W.C.A. Tells of Work in Behalf of Women and Girls.

At the First Baptist Church, yesterday afternoon, Miss Tatham, general secretary of the Los Angeles Young Women's Christian Association, gave a talk on "Peril and Protection of Young Women." She told of the work which the association is doing and explained its objects.

"Interdenominational in our organization, we are the willing helpers of all the churches," said the speaker. "Our field is wide, our home is under a separate roof in the heart of the city, but yet we are a part of the church.

"One of the most important branches of our work is caring for women and girls who arrive here friendless and, in many instances, without funds. At the Southern Pacific and Santa Fé stations there are deaconesses, members of our staff, whose duty it is to look after the welfare of travelers. This work is only one of many, but it is a very important one."

Miss Tatham ended with a plea for more members and urged the women of the First Baptist Church to join the ranks of workers for the welfare of homeless women and girls.

CLIMATE QUEST ENDS.

Old Resident of Baltimore, After Long Search, Pins Faith to Los Angeles.

After three tours of Europe, a visit to the West Indies, and various trips to other parts of the world, Dr. William H. Etheridge, an old and well-known resident of Baltimore, Md., where he practiced dentistry for forty-eight years, has come to Los Angeles, and here will spend the remainder of his days. He is housed temporarily at the Highland Villa, and soon will make a brief visit to Baltimore to close up his business affairs before settling in his new home.

Dr. Etheridge says he has spent many years in search of a climate to suit, and is satisfied now that he has found it. He has spent winters in Southern Italy and in the West Indies, but says they do not compare in comfort and pleasure with those of Southern California. This is his fourth visit to this section, the first having been made thirteen years ago. As an evidence of his faith in Los Angeles, he has already made a substantial investment here.

"I am going back home this spring to sell my property in Baltimore," said he yesterday, "then I shall return here to stay. While I am back there I hope to be present at the Methodist convention and at that session I sincerely hope to see Dr. Robert McIntyre of Los Angeles elected bishop. I expect, also, to spread the Southern California gospel through my old home State and to induce many of my friends to come here.

"What attracted me to Los Angeles this last time was the exhibit of your Chamber of Commerce on the boardwalk at Atlantic City. The display of products, the lecture on Southern California and the information given by the attendants at that exhibit turned my attention once more to this section. I know of many others who have been induced to come hither through the same agency. Your city and county should be proud of that bureau. I am sure it is one of your best advertising cards, and the great merit of it is that reliable information is dealt out so courteously by those in charge."

PUBLISHERS COMING.

State Press Association Arranges for Southern California Excursion in April.

Friend W. Richardson, editor and manager of the Daily Gazette, Berkeley, and president of the California Press Association, was in Los Angeles yesterday, making local arrangements for the annual excursion of his association, which this year will be from the North to Southern California. About one hundred members will be in the party, which will reach Los Angeles early in April. Here they will be joined by fellow-members of the South and their annual meeting will be held in this city. A week or more will be spent in sight-seeing in this section, with headquarters at a Los Angeles hotel. A banquet for the visitors is in contemplation.

The association went last year to Lake Tahoe and the year before to Mexico. This will be its first Southern California excursion. Officers of the organization in this end of the State include D. G. Holt, Santa Monica, vice-president; D. J. Reese, Ventura; J. P. Baumgartner, Santa Ana, and E. Johnson, Fullerton, members Executive Committee. Some of these men met with Mr. Richardson, yesterday at the Hollenbeck to discuss plans for the entertainment of the visitors, and a similar meeting of northern officers was held Saturday at Berkeley. Publishers of newspapers in nearly every county seat in the State are members of the association.

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GOING AHEAD TO MARKET BONDS.

PASADENA CITY COUNCIL IS TO SELL TOWN'S DEBTS.

Question of Appointment of Manager of Municipal Electric Lighting Plant to Be Decided Soon—Surplus of Energy Over Needs for Street Illuminating in Prospect.

Office of The Times, No. 36 S. Raymond Ave.

PASADENA, Feb. 24.—Preparations to market the $50,000 of bonds voted for the street lighting plant and the choosing of a new manager for the same will occupy the greater part of the time of the City Council for some days to come. It is hoped that by Tuesday of next week the city fathers will have selected a new manager. There are five applications before the City Council from electrical engineers who are now in employment, and no information is to be given out until the final choice is made. E. G. Robinson of Arlington, Wash., has presented his claims to the Council, but it is thought that the choice will fall upon a man nearer home.

Today the Council will canvass the vote cast last Tuesday on the sewer and lighting bonds, and will proceed to market them at the earliest possible moment. The proceeds are expected to be available before the middle of April. After this the street lighting plant will be rushed to completion and the wires will be strung along the thirty-seven dark streets of the city. When this is done there will be a surplus of electricity at the plant available for lighting between 700 and 800 homes in the city. It has been erroneously published that more than enough applications have been made to the city to absorb this supply. Councilmen say this was one of the mistakes of the last superintendent.

If there should be a surplus of lighting power exceeding the needs of the streets, this will be distributed in fire district No. 1, between East Orange Grove avenue and California street. Feeding lines will be run along Villa, Colorado and Center streets to cover this district, but the actual experiment in commercial lighting by the city is a matter of several months. All the streets will be lighted before the wires are put into a single house and, as the Mayor and Council are determined to restore to the city the $30,000 borrowed from the general funds, the house lighting may have to wait for another bond issue. The sewer work will begin on plans now ready as soon as the money is received.

WINS DOUBLE HEADER.

Success in two games yesterday with the Dolgeville baseball team puts Pasadena well up toward her old place at the head of the column. How near will be known when the returns from the other matches are received today. Pasadena yesterday defeated her opponent by a score of 9 to 1 in the first game and 4 to 2 in the second. Asher and Leahy were the battery for the home nine in the first and Marshall and Leahy in the second. Dolgeville put in Broadbent and Leguin and Gray and Leguin as their opponents. In the first game Pasadena made eleven hits and five in the second, while Dolgeville made six and three hits respectively. Asher and Broadbent struck out four men each, and in the second game, which lasted only seven innings, Gray struck out thirteen of the Pasadenans, while Marshall fanned seven.

SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Social gaiety between now and the opening of the Lenten season bids fair to be unprecedented. This evening there will be a military euchre party at the Hotel Green and Mrs. Flora G. Bland will give a large reception and musical at her home on Washington street. Tuesday evening there will be a reception and amateur play at the Shakespeare clubhouse, for which several hundred invitations have been issued Thursday evening the Charity Ball will take place at Hotel Green. Friday evening the younger set of society girls will give an elaborately-appointed dance at the Shakespeare Clubhouse, complimentary to the members of the Revellers Club. Friday afternoon Mrs. Stephen A. Harrison and Mrs. Hugh E. Montgomery will entertain in honor of the Misses Leuppe and Bingham, at the home of Mrs. Harrison on South Grand avenue. Saturday afternoon Mrs. Lawrence Hurlburt will have a bridge party at her home on South Orange Grove avenue and in the evening there will be a dinner dance at the Country Club. Monday afternoon Mrs. Adelbert Fenyes will give a large bridge party, complimentary to her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Curtin of Denver, and in the evening hundreds will attend the opening reception of the Valley Hunt Club at the new house on South Orange Grove avenue. Friday afternoon Mrs. William Scripps and Mrs. Garrett Newkirk will give a musical at Altadena.

AT HOTEL MARYLAND.

Several affairs of more than usual interest are scheduled for the Maryland. On Thursday night the Newman Club will give its annual ladies' night and banquet. This is the leading Roman Catholic association in the Southwest. Among the speakers will be Rt. Rev. Bishop Scannell of Omaha, Prof. Vincent Lutoslowski of the University of Cracow, Poland; Theodore Savage of San Francisco, and John S. McGroarty of Los Angeles.

On Tuesday evening "living pictures" will amuse the guests. On Wednesday the Maryland Minstrels, assisted by the former tenor of the Bostonians, Tom Kirl, will repeat their performance, with many new features, at the Shakespeare Club house for the benefit of the Academy of the Holy Name.

N. P. Bowler, who, in the early fifties, was a reporter on the Cleveland Plain-Dealer, will edit the issue of Maryland Life, which appears next Sunday. He has the assistance of other guests.

TEACHERS TO PLAY BALL.

The principals of the public schools are preparing for a match with the principals of Long Baech next Saturday, but whether the game will be here or at the seashore has not been decided.

At the Madison School a fine gymnasium outfit has been installed, through subscriptions of teachers and pupils.

HACKMEN ARRESTED.

Freemont Powers and J. W. Davis yesterday were arrested on the charge of blocking Raymond avenue. They will explain to Judge McDonald today.

NOYES PARTY GOES EAST.

Frank B. Noyes and Theodore Noyes left yesterday morning for Washington, D. C., with the body of their father, Crosby S. Noyes. Reports from the sick room of Mrs. Noyes, widow of the veteran editor, are that she is resting as easily as could be expected. Her complete recovery is expected.

Gold Button Fish, This.

John McIntyre of Chicago (left) and longfin tuna caught by him off Catalina. The world's record is claimed for this catch.

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SHORTER ROAD WANTED.

Highway Commissioners Confer With Pomona Citizens About Thoroughfare to Los Angeles.

POMONA, Feb. 23.—Messrs. Daggett, Bixby and Marsh of the Los Angeles County Highway Commission, conferred yesterday with a cotizens' committee with reference to a more direct thoroughfare for carriages and automobiles between here and Los Angeles. The commissioners expressed their appreciation of the excellent condition of the avenues and roadways in this city and vicinity.

Mrs. Josephine Turnbull, a missionary just returned from Bombay, addressed the congregation of Trinity Methodist Church today.

ENDEAVORERS' RALLY.

The Christion Endeavor societies held a rally at the Congregational Church this afternoon to awaken enthusiasm over the coming county convention, to be held at Whittier on March 6 and 7. A large delegation will attend from here.

Dr. W. E. Blackstone of Pasadena talked to the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church this morning on "Our Responsibility to Evangelize the World."

Mrs. James H. Wilkinson of 737 West Third street, is entertaining Miss Mabel St. John of Whittier.

FOR FLOWER MISSION.

Alton Packard, the delineator, will give an entertainment for the benefit of the Pomona Fruit and Flower Mission at the Fraternal Aid Theater on Tuesday evening.

Ogden Sweet of Los Angeles, who was a leading merchant here fifteen years ago, was a recent visitor here.

Raymond M. Davis and wife and John C. Walker and wife spent yesterday in the cañons.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Ashton of Los Angeles visited friends here today.

ANTIS GETTING TOGETHER.

Harmony of Interests of Ocean Park and Venice Are Now Being Promoted.

OCEAN PARK, Feb. 23.—Rather than to interrupt an interesting flirtation that has developed within the past few days between the Good Government League of Venice on the one side, and the Independence Club and the Progressive party of Ocean Park on the other, the two last-named organizations at a joint session held last night, declined to make nominations for City Trustees, and other municipal officers. Adjournment was taken until Tuesday evening, at which time something may be done. There are those who believe that it may be possible to evolve one ticket out of the two, so that the election may pass off without a contest, and result in the unification of beach interests that have heretofore been at variance.

The conservative element and the newspapers are preaching harmony and urging that all get together and stay together. The argument is advanced that the hammers that have been knocking here have simply been performing the twofold mission of at the same time building up other cities and resorts at the expense of this beach. The preparations for the entertainment and reception of the Atlantic fleet are being accepted as the entering wedge for a better feeling all along the line, and when it is seen that the beach can work as one in this matter, it is urged that there should be harmony and unanimity in other directions.

COVINA.

COVINA, Feb. 23.—The Turner art exhibit held in the auditorium of the Covina High School in the past week was brought to a successful close last evening, over 200 people visiting it. Selections were rendered by the Covina High School orchestra under the leadership of Prof. F. A. Fitzgerald. The proceeds of the week will be devoted to the purchase of works of art to be hung in the school auditorium.

The baseball game between the nines of the Covina and Ontario high schools yesterday afternoon resulted in a victory for the home team, the score standing 11 to 8. Immediately following this game the Covina High School boys played the town nine losing by a score of 2 to 3. Asher, a league pitcher, umpired the game.

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HOOKS WITH PRIDE.

CATCHES RECORD LONGFIN TUNA.

FIRST GOLD BUTTON FOR SEASON AT AVALON.

Chicago Man Takes an Hour and Thirty-six Minutes to Bring to Gaff a Sixty-five-Pounder of That Species—New Yorkers Cheerfully Lose Wager With Boatman.

AVALON, Feb. 23.—John McIntyre of Chicago, who has been spending several weeks tuna fishing with light tackle announced today that his efforts had been rewarded by the first gold button of the season. Taking the launch Algeria, the party spent several hours hauling in various kinds of catches, but suddenly McIntyre realized that better business had commenced, so asked his fellow-angler to reel in, and await results. After a battle of an hour and thirty-six minutes, he brought to gaff a long fin tuna, for which the world's record is claimed. Since the reclassification took place it has been doubted whether Southern California waters could furnish the records again, and it is now possible that many of the heavy-tackle enthusiasts will switch off and adopt the light tackle principles. The record now stands at 65 lb. 3 oz. for this species.

SOME FISH, SOME PAY.

An amusing incident took place yesterday upon the return of the launch Zeus, which was chartered by a party of New Yorkers for the half day. Fearing they would "get left," the devotees arranged to pay $2 for every fish caught. "No fish no pay," was the wily's captain's suggestion, and the anglers added that "no fish under twenty pounds would count." When the launch again pulled up to the wharf it was found that the men had eighteen longfin tuna to their credit. The sum of $36 was paid without a murmur, but, "Catalina's different from New York," was the remark let fall, as they turned to hunt for some new experiences.

ISLAND PERSONALS.

Among those who have registered at the Metropole for a short sojourn are: O. F. Wellshoffer and wife of New York City; E. G. Acheson and family of Niagara Falls, N. Y.; Grant Edwards and wife of Brookline, Mass.; J. B. Wathen and family of Louisville, Ky.; Josiah White and family of Marlborough Blenheim, Atlantic City, N. J.; C. W. Jargstorff of Los Angeles, with a party of four from New York City; L. H. Bentley and wife of Milbank, S. D.; E. R. Wagner and wife of Milwaukee; W. E. Brannan and wife of Flint, Mich.; Dr. F. F. White Milford of Pittsburgh, and Prof. H. E. Percival and wife of Burlington, Ont., Can.

The following are guests at the Grand View, Mrs. L. T. Velder and son of Schenectady, N. Y.; Dr. J. W. Kendall and family of Baltimore; R. D. Brennand and wife of St. Paul, Minn.; Mrs. H. G. Middleton and family of Winnipeg, Can., and W. R. Wakeford and wife of Waldport, Or.

PALMS.

PALMS, Feb. 23.—Rev. M. D. Ried, who has been pastor of the Congregationalist church here for the past year, closed his labors in this field by preaching his farewell sermon this morning.

The revival services at the United Brethren Church have been concluded.

A Lincoln-Roosevelt Club has been organized here with Thomas Hughes, late of Los Angeles, whose home is in Palms, as president. Dr. W. S. Mortensen and E. C. Hall are vice-presidents.

Mrs. Attrell, Miss Attrell and Miss Neva La Forge spent Washington's Birthday at Venice.

Arthur Stinton, who is staying near Ontario, came over Friday to visit his parents, and returned this afternoon.

Mrs. Albert La Forge of Los Angeles visited her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bryant, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Ford were called to Los Angeles Friday by the death of their daughter, Mrs. Davis.

Mrs. C. H. Simmons and daughter have gone to spend several months with Mrs. Simmons's parents in Guthrie, Okla.

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BREAKFASTS ARE PREPARED BY CAMP FIRES AT REDONDO.

High Wind Tips Receiver and Makes Holes in It—Manager of the Plant and Large Force Spend Day Repairing Damage—Death in the Plunge Narrowly Escaped.

REDONDO, Feb. 23.—A large proportion of the population of this city is camping out today, so far as cooking is concerned, as the result of an accident to the gas plant at 3 o'clock this morning. When housewives, who use gas in their kitchens, were ready to prepare breakfast, they discovered with consternation that their stoves were useless. Occupants of beach cottages and apartment-houses and proprietors of restaurants were most inconvenienced. Outdoor fires were made with driftwood and pieces of boxes, on which eggs were boiled and coffee prepared.

Gas was not forthcoming even at dinner time, notwithstanding the fact that Manager R. E. Matteso of the gas plant and a large force of men had been hard at work all day endeavoring to complete the necessary repairs. They finally succeeded, however.

The accident was a peculiar one. The big receiver, having a capacity of 45,000 cubic feet, and from which both Redondo and Hermosa are supplied, was tilted to an agle of about 45 deg., and the heavy mountings which carry the runners were torn from their fastenings. Large rents were made in the receiver, and a considerable portion of the contents escaped.

It is believed that the high wind that prevailed last night was responsible for the trouble. A strong wind caused a similar accident three years ago.

NEARLY DROWNED IN PLUNGE.

A visitor from Los Angeles barely escaped death by drowning in the plunge this afternoon. It is said that, although confessedly unable to swim, he deliberately passed under the line separating the deep from the shallow portion of the plunge. When he got beyond his depth, he began a struggle. Some of the swimmers and attendants rescued him, but he was unconscious and remained so for some time. Later he boarded a car for Los Angeles. His identity was not disclosed.

RIFLE PRACTICE POPULAR.

Many out-of-town people, as well as residents of Redondo, were in attendance at the rifle range today to witness the shooting which continued from early morning until late afternoon. A barbecue was provided under the auspices of the various commercial organizations of this city.

FISHING GOOD AT AVALON.

AVALON, Feb. 23.—Fishermen are hailing with pleasure the early advent of several varieties of fishes which are usually caught here at a later date. Yellowtail, mackerel and barracuda are running freely, and sand dabs and grouper are being shipped in large quantities. It is reported that 2800 pounds of long-fin tuna had been taken during the past wek. Four bronze buttons and one gold button have been disposed of by the secretary of the Light Tackle Club.

The yacht Yankee Girl, with Capt. F. Door and family of Los Angeles on board, anchored in the harbor at dusk Saturday evening. Other passengers were Dr. and Mrs. Cornell of Chicago, Ill., who are now visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. White of Atlantic City, who are at the Metropole.

Many improvements are now under way here. It is reported that the historical "running the gauntlet" will be relegated to the past, and that special efforts are to be made to banish "gab peddlers."

Large numbers of golf and tennis enthusiasts are daily seen wending their way out to the links and the courts. Under the directorship of Duncan Michaud, the grounds have been much improved since the last rain.

J. C. McMillan and family of Tonopah, Nev., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brewster.

F. J. Wathen of Louisville, Ky., a prominent distiller, has been joined by his wife and family at the Metropole.

Among recent arrivals to the Hotel Central are: C. W. Currier and wife of Lawrence, Mass.; F. Elser and wife of Buffalo, N. Y.; H. O. Richards and wife of Seattle, Wash.; W. Snider and wife of Ritzville, Wash.; Dr. E. E. Jimison of Clearfield, Pa., and Dr. E. W. Bacon of Los Angeles.

F. E. Tuttle of Grand Rapids, Mich.; L. Walker and wife of Los Angeles, and Mrs. F. Wood of Portland, Or., are guests at the Hotel Windsor.

The following are registered at the Metropole: Dr. and Mrs. Guy Cochran of Los Angeles, H. C. Parker and wife of South Pasadena, Mrs. J. L. Thompson and daughter of Camden, N. J.; C. Donn and wife of Boston, Mass.; G. Stanley and wife of San Francisco, P. C. Doggett and wife of New York City, R. B. Webb and wife of Baltimore, Canada; Miss L. C. Hough of Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. H. Baldwin of Los Angeles; Miss C. Carlin of Long Beach, Mrs. G. Herman of Chicago, Ill., and Miss E. M. Jones of South Pasadena.

FATHER ACCUSES SON.

Man Arrested for Carrying Concealed Weapon Says Offspring Threatened to Kill Him.

Fernando Pepe of No. 244 East Twenty-eighth street, was arrested on a Maple-avenue car yesterday because he carried a concealed weapon. He was taken to the Central Station, but allowed to go on his own recognizance, pending an examination in the Police Court this morning.

He told the police he had just taken the gun away from his son, Joseph, who was flourishing it. He further stated that the son, who recently was discharged from the Whittier Reform School, had threatened to kill him.

FIGHT OVER DRINKS.

Arrest Follows Row in Saloon—Policeman Shoots and Later Forces Door to Get Man.

On the charge of having held up Peter Cassou of Los Alimitos, Joseph Soliz of No. 703 Banning street was arrested early yesterday morning. The police say that the men were carousing in a saloon, and that when it came time for Cassou to pay for the drinks, he refused. While the men were fighting, a patrolman appeared, and Soliz ran. The officer fired into the air to frighten the fugitive.

Soliz reached his room, and barricaded the door, which the policeman and Cassou forced open. The prisoner will be arraigned in the Police Court today. Cassou claims that he was robbed.

RESULT OF RELIGIOUS RIOT.

TEHERAN, Feb. 23.—Ten persons were killed and a score or more wounded, including several ecclesiastics, as a result of a riot here today in a main street during the passage of a religious procession, celebrating the Mohammendan Murrahan festival, held during the first month of the Mohammedan new year.

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At the offices of the European Medical Experts at 745 South Main street, many call daily to take advantage of the liberal offer. By this offer all who call will be treated for the cost of the medicines alone. All chronic diseases are treated and the list of cures made contains the names of many who had been pronounced incurable by others.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Office of the Supervising Architect, Washington, February 14, 1908.—SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 2 p.m. on the 2nd day of April, 1908, and then opened, for the installation of the steam and gas piping, etc., for the New Postoffice and Court House building at Los Angeles, California, in accordance with drawings and specifications, copies of which may be had at this office or at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, Los Angeles, California, at the discretion of the Supervising Architect. JAMES KNOX TAYLOR, Supervising Architect.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Office of the Supervising Architect, Washington, February 6, 1908. SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 2 p.m. on the 12th day of March, 1908, and then opened, for the installation of a complete electric wiring system, for the New Postoffice and Court House building at LOS ANGELES, CAL., in accordance with drawings and specifications, copies of which may be had at this office, or at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, Los Angeles, Cal., at the discretion of the Supervising Architect. JAMES KNOX TAYLOR, Supervising Architect.

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MUSLIN SHIELDS PROVIDED EARLY CANTALOUPES.

Experiments in Imperial in the terest of Advancing Maturity of Juicy Breakfast Fruit—Extens Tests of Eucalyptus Growth Planned—Twenty Varieties.

BRAWLEY, Feb. 23.—Peter D. ick, a landscape gardener, florist nurseryman, whose finest work shown in some of the magnificent dential grounds of Redlands, started a series of experiments in

Growing Me Cantaloupe field of Peter P. Fedic hasten maturi

stable growths in the Imperial Val which seems likely to prove valuab to the valley, as a whole.

He is carrying on operations at Braw ley, El Centro and near Holtville, at the latter place has an extensi ranch on which he intends to use t best results of his experiments.

At Brawley, one of Fedick's achiev ments is the growing of cantaloup vines under muslin canopies, so th they will have two or three weeks' ad vantage over the plants grown in th ordinary way. These cantaloupes ar on a six-acre tract directly adjoinin the town of Brawley on the north, an the white-hooded hills of melons ar attracting much attention from th settlers and visitors.

The cantaloupes are planted in th usual manner, so far as hilling and spacing is concerned, but over each hi there is stretched a canopy of whit muslin about the size of a man's pocke handkerchief. Two arched wires are used, crossed over the melon hill some what like the center wicket in a cro quet ground. The ends of these wire are sewed to the corners of the muslin squares, and the wires are then thrust firmly into the ground, so as to secure the canopies and prevent the wind blowing them away. Mr. Fedick esti mates that these protectors will cost complete about 8 cents each.

The melons have responded to the genial warmth thus engendered and the protection from winds and frost. The plants are now on an average of two inches high, and look strong and thrifty. If the plan proves all that is hoped for it, next year it will be tried on a large scale on the Fedick ranch near Holtville. At the Brawley experimental gardens there are six acres of melons, and of these 576 hills have been covered with the canopies.

In the same plat where the melons are growing there have been planted several varieties of sugar beets. There is ample room, says Mr. Fedick, to grow sugar beets in cantaloupe fields, and if there is alkali or salt in the soil the beets will be certain to absorb it. He proposes to plant beet seed every month in the year at this station, and to secure a chemical analysis of each lot, so as to determine just what can be produced and the proportion of saccharine substance.

At the Holtville ranch, Mr. Fedick is preparing to seed beds for growths from which there may in time spring forests on the desert. He plans to raise eucalyptus trees extensively to supply the demands not only of the Imperial Valley, but other sections of the arid Southwest. He believes he can be of much service to the development of the valley by growing these trees in the same environment as that in which they will find their permanent home. He will plant twenty varieties of the eucalyptus but will go especially for the Eucalyptus Rostrata, and the Eucalyptus Rodasa.

An excellent demonstration of the adaptability of the eucalyptus for the arid region is that given in the district covered by water company No. 8, in this valley. For two years there has been no irrigation water in that district. When the flood waters of the Colorado River came tearing down the New River to the Salton Sink, the irrigation system for No. 8 district was destroyed. Most of the ranches were deserted, but during all that period, up to the present, when water is again restored to the thirsty soil, not a single eucalyptus tree there has died, but they have maintained a constant growth.

INJURED IN RUNAWAY.

COLTON, Feb. 23.—While G. A. Linder was driving on Colton avenue last evening a runaway team collided with his carriage and he and his wife were thrown out. He suffered a compound fracture of the right arm and Mrs. Linder was severely bruised.

Mrs. E. C. Merryfield entertained at luncheon yesterday at her home on Eighth street, complimentary to her mother, Mrs. F. D. Bovard of Berkley.

Mrs. William Starr of South Colton was given a pleasant surprise party yesterday afternoon by the ladies of the Baptist Church. It was the sixty-second anniversary of her birth.

CUPID BUSY AT ANAHEIM.

ANAHEIM, Feb. 23.—The engagement is announced of Miss Mamie Hartley, daughter of Henry Hartley of West Anaheim, to Archie Sears of Lincoln, Neb. The wedding will take place at the Hartley home on February 26.

Miss Cora Bowen and Richard Duggan, well known young people of this city, were married today at noon at the Christian Church. They have gone to Nevada on their honeymoon trip. Mr. Broom is the assistant South Pacific agent.

John Weaver is building a $1000 bungalow.

M. E. White has exchanged his ten-acre place for George Tedrick's 160 acres in Oklahoma.

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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

HOLDS WARMTH.

COVERED MELONS SHOOT AHEAD.

MUSLIN SHIELDS PROVIDED FOR EARLY CANTALOUPES.

Experiments in Imperial in the Interest of Advancing Maturity of the Juicy Breakfast Fruit—Extensive Tests of Eucalyptus Growth Are Planned—Twenty Varieties.

BRAWLEY, Feb. 23.—Peter D. Fedick, a landscape gardener, florist and nurseryman, whose finest work is shown in some of the magnificent residential grounds of Redlands, has started a series of experiments in vegetable growths in the Imperial Valley which seems likely to prove valuable to the valley, as a whole.

He is carrying on operations at Brawley, El Centro and near Holtville, and at the latter place has an extensive ranch on which he intends to use the best results of his experiments.

At Brawley, one of Fedick's achievements is the growing of cantaloupe vines under muslin canopies, so that they will have two or three weeks' advantage over the plants grown in the ordinary way. These cantaloupes are on a six-acre tract directly adjoining the town of Brawley on the north, and the white-hooded hills of melons are attracting much attention from the settlers and visitors.

The cantaloupes are planted in the usual manner, so far as hilling and watering is concerned, but over each hill cloth is stretched a canopy of white muslin about the size of a man's pocket handkerchief. Two arched wires are crossed over the melon hill somewhat like the center wicket in a croquet ground. The ends of these wires are sewed to the corners of the muslin squares, and the wires are then thrust firmly into the ground, so as to secure the canopies and prevent the wind from blowing them away. Mr. Fedick estimates that these protectors will cost complete about 8 cents each.

The melons have responded to the artificial warmth thus engendered and the protection from winds and frost. The plants are now on an average of five inches high, and look strong and healthy. If the plan proves all that is hoped for it, next year it will be tried on a large scale on the Fedick ranch near Holtville. At the Brawley experimental gardens there are six acres of melons, and of these 876 hills have been covered with the canopies.

In the same plat where the melons are growing there have been planted several varieties of sugar beets. There is ample room, says Mr. Fedick, to grow sugar beets in cantaloupe fields, and if there is alkali or salt in the soil the beets will be certain to absorb it. He proposes to plant beet seed every month in the year at this station, and to secure chemical analysis of each lot, so as to determine just what can be produced and the proportion of saccharine substance.

At the Holtville ranch, Mr. Fedick is preparing to seed beds for growths from which there may in time spring plants on the desert. He plans to use eucalyptus trees extensively to supply the demands not only of the Imperial Valley, but other sections of the arid Southwest. He believes he will be of much service to the development of the valley by growing these trees in the same environment as that which they will find their permanent home. He will plant twenty varieties of the eucalyptus but will go especially for the Eucalyptus Rostrata, and the Eucalyptus Rodasa.

An excellent demonstration of the practicability of the eucalyptus for the entire region is that given in the district served by water company No. 8, in Imperial valley. For two years there has been no irrigation water in that district. When the flood waters of the Colorado River came tearing down the new river to the Salton Sink, the irrigation system for No. 8 district was destroyed. Most of the ranches were abandoned, but during all that period, up to the present, when water is being restored to the thirsty soil, not a single eucalyptus tree there has died, and they have maintained a constant growth.

Growing Melons Under Cover.

Cantaloupe field of Peter P. Fedick at Brawley, showing muslin shields to hasten maturing of young vines.

INJURED IN RUNAWAY.

COLTON, Feb. 22.—While G. A. Linn was driving on Colton avenue last night a runaway team collided with his carriage and he and his wife were thrown out. He suffered a compound fracture of the right arm and Mrs. Linn was severely bruised.

Mrs. C. Merryfield entertained at luncheon yesterday at her home on Ninth street, complimentary to her mother, Mrs. P. D. Bovard of Berkeley.

Mrs. William Starr of South Colton was given a pleasant surprise party Friday afternoon by the ladies of the Baptist Church. It was the sixty-second anniversary of her birth.

CUPID BUSY AT ANAHEIM.

ANAHEIM, Feb. 22.—The engagement is announced of Miss Mamie Henry, daughter of Henry Hartley of West Anaheim, to Archie Sears of Imperial, Neb. The wedding will take place at the Hartley home on February 26.

Miss Cora Bowen and Richard Duggan, well known young people of this city, were married today at noon at the Christian Church. They have gone to Nevada on their honeymoon trip. Mr. Broom is the assistant South Pasadena agent.

Fulton Weaver is building a $1000 bungalow.

J. E. White has exchanged his tenant place for George Tedrick's 160 acres in Oklahoma.

Horace Trimble, is now in the County Jail, having made a complete confession of guilt, implicating James Harris and Harry Coleman, negroes, for whom the police are now looking. Trimble was released from the County Jail two weeks ago, after serving a sentence for vagrancy. While in jail he met Harris and Coleman, the former sent to jail from Colton, and the other from Needles, as vagrants.

Trimble's long residence in Chinatown and the redlight district had made him thoroughly acquainted with Chinatown and the ways of the Chinese. He had seen Wong Nim come and go, had become stirred by the popular belief that Nim keeps large amounts of treasure in his store, and had frequently seen the wealthy Chinaman take money from the strong box. He imparted his suspicions to the two negroes, and together they planned the burglary.

While Coleman stood guard on Third street, Harris and Trimble entered Nim's store. They had seen him cross the street a moment before the entry. Both burglars took hold of the box and, guided by Trimble, they hurried it through the winding underground passageways, finally reaching the hollows along Warm Creek and, having put on Chinese shoes, thought to throw the officers off the scent by the imprint of these shoes in the soft soil.

BIG POWER CONTRACT.

The interests of H. E. Huntington secured another footing in this valley yesterday, through the signing of a contract under the terms of which the Pacific Light and Power Company, a Huntington concern, supplies the San Bernardino Valley Traction Company with the necessary electrical power to operate its system. Since the traction company has been in business here the power has been furnished by the Edison Electric Company of Los Angeles, the profits from the contract being no small item. The Pacific Light and Power Company will bring its power for the traction system from its plants in the Santa Ana Cañon.

RHYOLITE STRIKE.

H. L. Capps, a Bullfrog miner, has struck it rich in the Bullion Mountain region, and precipitated a rush which promises to equal that caused by the strike at Hart. Reports from the Capps property state that the values are taken from Rhyolite ore, and free milling samples running as high as $150 to the ton have been secured. The ledge has been tramped over by California miners for numerous years, and regarded as worthless, owing to their lack of knowledge concerning Rhyolite. Already the country has been staked out for many miles.

BATTLE WITH SNOW.

The organization of the "Silver Tips," a new fraternal organization, took place this morning on the summit of the San Bernardino Mountains, at the Baylis lodge. Delegates went up the mountains yesterday, gaining the lodge after hours of battling with sleet and rain, and tramping miles through the snow. Once on the ground a merry programme was set in motion. The new society is composed of Elks, only members of this order being eligible. It is proposed to hold an annual mid-winter session.

ONTARIO.

ONTARIO, Feb. 23.—The finishing touches to the work of macadamizing the east side of Euclid avenue from G street to the Santa Fé tracks were made this week. The thirty-foot road bed has been oiled and covered with crushed rock to a depth of six inches. Both sides of the avenue are being guttered and curbed from A street to the Santa Fé. This work, it is expected, will be completed in about two weeks and together with the macadamizing will have cost the town over $10,000. It is estimated that the macadamizing alone has cost $5000 per mile. Still the improvement has proved so satisfactory, that the City Trustees have decided to improve other thoroughfares about the town in the same way. Bids are already out for the macadamizing of Sixth street from Euclid to Mountain avenues, the fifteen-foot roadbed to be covered with crushed rock to a depth of four inches. A new rock crusher has been ordered by the town to provide the material for the extensive improvements planned.

The Ontario Power Company has let a contract for the running of a stage to and from its camp in San Antonio Cañon, during the coming summer season. Points connected, will be Ontario and Upland, Seven Oaks, Dells Camp, Bayhams Camp and San Antonio Heights.

Maids and matrons of the younger society set of this place acted as hostesses of one of the most enjoyable social events of the season in a Leap Year given at Masonic Temple last night. The programmes bore the patriotic colors, and designs. Members of the Reception Committee were Mrs. Edward Caldwell, Miss Roy Hallbrook, Mrs. Charles Fuller, Mrs. P. Murray and Miss Elizabeth George.

C. D. Adams of San Antonio Heights has sold his home place on Twenty-second street, consisting of a new six-room house, barn and lemon house, and ten acres, two-thirds of which is planted to Eureka lemons, the remainder to Washington navels, to C. J. Wares of Long Beach. The stated consideration is $16,000.

GOOD PRICES FOR CELERY.

Despite Unfavorable Conditions, Orange County Growers Make Good Profits.

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Feb. 23.—Orange county celery has netted growers a very good price this season, considering the poor market resulting from financial conditions and the competition of early celery in the East. Yesterday the Celery Growers' Association received from its selling agent, the California Vegetable Union, the proceeds from the January pool, amounting to over $105,000, after deducting all expenses.

This sum is being distributed to growers on a basis of 15 cents a dozen for No. 1 celery, 14 cents for No. 2 and 9 cents for No. 3. These are the highest prices received this season. The December pool, amounting to $103,000, netted 13.9 cents for No. 1 and 9 cents for No. 2, while from the November pool, amounting to $49,000, the growers received 11.05 cents for No. 1 and 8 cents for No. 2.

The total shipments to February 1 were 1692 carloads, 180 less than for the same period last year. For the whole season the shipments will fall about 1000 carloads less than last year.

This does not mean, however, that the receipts of the grower will fall short proportionately. Last year the February pool netted the association little and the March pool did not pay shipping expenses. It was to avoid a repetition of this experience that the association decided to close the February pool on the 14th and not to compete with the Florida crop. Individual growers have shipped out about 100 carloads, through the California Vegetable Union, since the pool closed.

OFFICERS WEAR SKIRTS.

Disguised as Women, They Raid San Diego Den and Capture Thirty Chinamen.

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 23.—Thirty Chinamen were arrested last night in a raid at the corner of Third and J streets. Disguised as women, officers observed the place until the time was ripe for action. As the doors were barricaded, entrance was effected by breaking a hole into one side of the building with sledge hammers and axes.

Charles Apez, a Mexican, while alighting from a north-bound car near the Normal School, last night, was struck by a south-bound car. He lost a foot, and one arm may have to be amputated.

UNION'S OFFICERS.

Marion B. Hart has been elected president of the County Christian Endeavor Union; Miss Lenore Butler, secretary, and May Crittenden, treasurer.

Seth Robertson, has been arrested on the charge of stealing jewelry from W. R. Rogers, cashier of the Merchants' National Bank, and is in jail, having been unable to furnish the $1500 bond, demanded.

MARRIES TRAINED NURSE.

News has been received of the marriage in Cincinnati, of James G. Scripps, son of E. W. Scripps of Miramar, and Miss Josephine Stedem, a trained nurse.

The fishermen have combined to make a test in the Supreme Court of the law prohibiting the use of nets.

The Forbidden Road.

By Maria Abnesi.

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CHAPTER II—(Continued.)

"Anxious? What about? There is no need to fuss yourself; nurse never does write freely."

"She promised faithfully to send me word every day," said Mrs. Lancing, half fretfully.

"Well, look here, I'll go and telephone through for you," said the other woman; "with just a little luck I shall find the line clear. The rush is off about this time, as a rule."

Mrs. Lancing had slipped from her outdoor clothes into a very pretty dressing gown by the time the telephone conversation was at an end.

"Everything is all right," Mrs. Brenton announced, cheerily. "The children are just gone to bed. They have been very good, and are quite well."

"I miss them dreadfully," said Camilla, and her voice broke a little. Turning, she picked up two photographs that were on the dressing table, and kissed them passionately.

"Miss them!" said Mrs. Brenton, in her brisk way, "I should think you did! Dear little souls. I can't think why on earth you didn't bring them with you; there are heaps of rooms and children are never a bother to me, as you know. Well, now, I'll trot away again. I expect you feel thoroughly tired out, Camilla. Dinner will be half an hour late, so you can take it easy. Why don't you have forty winks? That is a heavenly chair for a snooze."

Mrs. Lancing was already crouched up in the luxurious depths of the chintz-covered chair. She yawned as she cuddled into the cushions.

"Fancy Sammy Broxbourne turning up so suddenly. Why didn't you tell me he was coming, Agnes?" she asked, a little jerkily.

"Because I did not know it myself. He wired this morning to ask if he could run down for a day or two, and as I was not here, Dick answered for me, saying, of course, he could come. I can't say that I think he is much improved, and he has put on a lot of flesh. He used to be rather a pretty boy, and now he is only a commonplace and very vulgar young man. By the way, how did he and Rupert Haverford get on?" inquired Mrs. Brenton, a little abruptly. She had made a move toward the door, and now turned back again.

Camilla Lancing shugged her shoulders.

"A very clear case of hatred at first sight! The moral Haverford sat in a corner and scowled in silence, and, of course, Sammy used all the swear words he knows just on purpose to make things pleasant."

Mrs. Brenton compressed her lips; there was definite disappointment in her eyes.

She stood a moment as if she had something more she would have liked to say; then, with an imperceptible shrug of her shoulders, she turned away, and, with another command to Camilla to rest, went out of the room.

Mrs. Lancing nestled herself more closely into the big chair and shut her eyes. Just as the maid was stealing softly away, she called the woman back.

"Don't go downstairs, Dennis," she said, "but stay in the dressing-room. I am going to try and sleep, but I may want you."

It was a relief that Agnes Brenton had gone, but she was almost afraid of being left quite alone.

Her maid took her sewing into the dressing-room, but Mrs. Lancing had no intention of going to sleep. She lay with closed eyes, however and after a while some tears escaped from the thick lashes and rolled down her cheeks.

"I never thought he could come back so soon," she said to herself, so wearily, so miserably; "he said he would be away for ages and ages, and . . . and I had almost forgotten." She turned her face on the cushions, and bit them as if a sudden physical pang had shot through her, and so she lay, breathing in a sobbing fashion for some little time; then she lifted her head and pressed her hands to her brow and to her hot eyes.

"And, of course, this must come," she said, with fretful passion, "when I am so badgered and worried I don't know which way to turn! Oh, how tired I am of living, sometimes! Why didn't he write to some one, then I should have heard he was coming, and I should have been prepared!"

She unpinned her hair, thick, short, brown hair, and lay back again on the cushions.

"Why doesn't Rupert Haverford speak?" she asked herself, in the same fretful way. "I simply can't go on struggling and fighting in this weary way. I was never meant to struggle and fight, and is it my fault that I make mistakes? How can I be different? I was brought up to be what I am. When other children were given twopence a week to put into a money box, I was given a £5 note to spend on dolls or make into kites. Of course, I am extravagant! Of course, I get into holes! I should be a living wonder if I didn't!"

She pushed the thick hair back from her brows, and, slipping from the chair, bunched herself on the hearth rug, holding her hands before her face to shield it from the blaze.

"I won't believe he doesn't care," she said to herself, her thoughts reverting to Haverford again. "He does care, only he won't speak. And he makes me so nervous. I feel as if he were looking at me through a microscope. I am sure Agnes thinks he cares!" She sighed, and shut here eyes for a moment; then her mind worked into an easier groove. "I do believe Sammy was glad to see me!" was her next thought. "He wasn't a bit changed. Perhaps I am worrying myself for nothing. Perhaps, after all, he never knew about it. He is so careless, it would be so easy and even natural for things to have been passed over. Anyhow, I am quite sure, whatever happens, in the future he can't know anything now. Sammy isn't the sort to keep things to himself?" Her face lightened; the lips, the eyes, grew eager. As was inevitable with her, despair began to give way slowly, but surely before the invulnerable optimism of her nature. She pinned up her hair, and sat gazing into the fire, humming to herself softly while her mind pieced together a dozen different possibilities, and carried her gradually but surely away from doubt and definite fear, when the clock chimed 8 she sprang to her feet.

"My black gown, Dennis," she said. She had convinced herself that Rupert Haverford would like his wife to wear black and sober colors. In the same way she assured herself that he would read family prayers every morning. If she married him, she determined that she would always breakfast in her room.

A little packet was lying on the dressing table, and she opened it with a smile on her lips and pleasure in her eyes.

"Look, Dennis, what Mr. Haverford bought for the children! This is for Betty, and this for baby! Is it too late to send them tonight? . . . Won't they be pleased? No," she decided; "I don't think I will send them. Darling hearts, they will expect me to bring them something when I go back tomorrow. Can't you see them waiting for me, Dennis?"

"They'll be in a rare state of excitement, I expect," said the maid, with a smile.

Camilla Lancing fingered the trinkets as she sat and had her hair dressed.

"He is really kind," she said to herself.

Contrasted with the other man, he had a new and great charm for her tonight—a value he had not had before.

"And though he is dull, he is certainly not vulgar," she mused on; "it is extraordinary that he should be as he is, and that Sammy should be such a vulgarian; and yet the one is a professedly middle-class man, and the other is connected with any amount of big people. I wish I understood him a little better! But he puzzles me, and he worries me;" she sighed here gratefully. "Of course I must marry him if he asks me; yet the mere thought of living all day long in such a starchy atmosphere takes the life out of me! I thought he would have been so easy to manage when we first met! And instead of accepting our views he imposed his own. No wonder he is not popular! I only wish," said Camilla, sighing again as she got up, and looked at her pretty head critically in the mirror, "I only wish he were twenty years older, and then I would put all my troubles before him, and ask him to help me. He would help me now. I know that perfectly well, but I should lose him if I told him the truth. And I don't want to lose him. I can't lose him," she said, a little feverishly, "especially now, especially now," she whispered.

Mrs. Lansing was one of the last down that evening—in fact, she kept the rest of the party waiting for dinner, but when she did come she was so charming and so apologetic, and looked so fascinating, that every one forgave her.

Sir Samuel Broxbourne took her in to dinner, and she sat where she could not see Haverford.

She could hear a little of the conversation, however, that passed at the other end of the table, and she changed color when she heard him tell Mrs. Brenton that he was going to town by the first train in the morning.

She translated this to mean a sudden retreat on his part. For there had been a half arrangement that he should take her back to London in his motor, and as the chauffeur had promised that the car would be at Yelverton either late that night or very early the next morning, there was no reason why this engagement should be broken. She ate the rest of her dinner in a subdued manner, and as she followed the other women out of the room she paused a moment by Haverford's side.

"So you won't motor back tomorrow?" she said, hurriedly. "I am horribly disappointed. . . . I was looking forward to it."

"I am sorry," he answered, "but the fact is I must go up quite early; my mother is not well," he explained.

"Oh!" said Camilla; she was at once reassured. "I am so sorry. I hope you are not very anxious? But you must tell me about it a little later." And gathering her clinging black draperies in her hand, she smiled up at him, and then fluttered through the doorway and vanished.

Whilst the other women were talking together, Mrs. Brenton found herself alone with Camilla.

"I want to say something to you," she said, in a low voice.

"Is it anything nice?" asked Camilla, with a faint smile.

Mrs. Brenton touched the black chiffon that bordered Camilla's beautiful shoulders with a caressing hand.

"I don't want you to play for such heavy points tonight, darling," she said; "it is all very well if the money comes back to you, but I am afraid you have been losing rather heavily since you came down here, haven't you? Sometimes I feel tempted," Mrs. Brenton went on, "to impose a maximum sum for points here, but I suppose I should get myself well hated if I did! People would say it is a free country, and they ought to do what they like with their own."

"That is why you are scolding me," said Camilla, with her pretty smile.

Mrs. Brenton shook her head.

"You are not other people to me, and I do hate to see you risking too much, Camilla."

Camilla turned and just lightly kissed Mrs. Brenton's hand.

"Oh, we must risk something sometimes!" she said, impatiently; then she added, "don't worry about me, dear old thing. I really haven't lost very much, and I dare say I shall get it all back tonight. I feel in luck. Look!"—she held out her wrist—"isn't this a sweet thing? Sammy has just given it to me to wear as a charm. He brought it from some weird place in America, and declares it is a magic stone, and that I shall have everything I want now that I wear it. I must go and show it to Ena Baylis," Camille said, with a wicked smile. "She will be so jealous! She rather affects Sammy, you know. . . ."

When the men came there was no opportunity for a little chat between Mrs. Lansing and Haverford, for the card-players seated themselves immediately at the tables.

Mrs. Brenton, who was not a bridge fanatic, beckoned to Rupert Haverford to come and sit with her in her pet corner.

She teased him heartily for a little while about his breakdown that afternoon.

"You will never get me in that magnificent car of yours again," she said. "Why don't you have horses? You look just the sort of man who would have good animals, and know how to treat them well."

"I have a few horses," Haverford answered; "you must come and see them one day, if you will, Mrs. Brenton. I don't quite know why I took to motoring, except that I have a leaning towards engineering, and the mechanism of the cars interests me, and then I like rushing about. I have not yet got used to my idle life," he said, a little restlessly. "Old habits are very strong with me; I wake every morning of my life at 5 o'clock, Mrs. Brenton, and I can't lie in bed a moment afterwards. You see, for nearly seventeen years I was accustomed to be out and at work by 6 o'clock every day."

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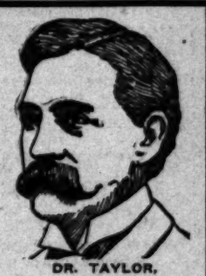

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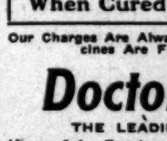

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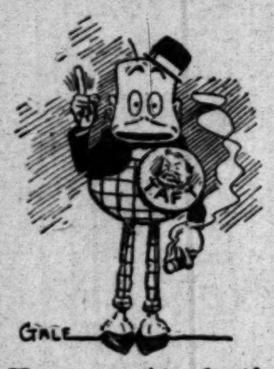

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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

"Josephine, the Empress."

Mrs. Emma Greenleaf will address members of the Young Women's Christian Association this evening at their rooms, on "Josephine the Empress."

Woman and Humor.

Rev. Robert J. Burdette will lecture on "A Woman's Sense of Humor" this afternoon at the Ebell Club. Dr. Burdette long has been an honorary member of the club.

"High Renaissance."

"The High Renaissance" is the subject of Frederick Mortimer Clapp's illustrated lecture for this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Woman's Clubhouse, a number in the University Extension course on art in Italy.

Wanderer Picked up.

Mrs. Roy S. Cleveland, who lives on West Twenty-eighth street, was found wandering on West Seventh street last night and taken to the Receiving Hospital. She appeared slightly deranged.

Republican Meeting.

Members of the Second and Third Ward Republican Club, who are completing arrangements for a big banquet at Levy's on March 7, will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening, at No. 444 South Broadway, rooms 36 and 37.

Oregonians Tonight.

Former Oregonians will meet tonight at Burbank Hall to effect a permanent organization, a business detail that had to be omitted at the recent successful banquet because of the crush of pleasure on that occasion.

Hurt in Fall from Car.

Mrs. J. L. Griffin of No. 2108 Willard street, in stepping from a moving East Seventh-street car at the Santa Fé depot, about 8 o'clock last night, was thrown to the pavement. She sustained a slight concussion of the brain and a laceration of the scalp. After being treated at the Receiving Hospital, she was taken home.

Piano Money.

Girls of the Breed-street school are turning into cash the knowledge they are gaining in the cooking classes there conducted. Delicacies prepared by them were sold last week at a meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association of the school, at the home of Mrs. C. E. Welsh, No. 214 N. St. Louis street, and the tidy sum of $20 was realized, to be applied to the school piano fund.

Well-Known Woman Dead.

Mrs. Amelia Post, 75 years old, died at her residence, No. 2255 West Twenty-fifth street, yesterday. She was the wife of Abraham Post, and had lived in this city four years. She was well known for her charity and interest in art and music. Besides the widower, she leaves five children, Mrs. C. H. Lockwood of Helena, Ark.; W. A. Post of Minneapolis, Minn., and Mrs. G. M. Asher, and Jeannette and Margaret Post of this city.

The Celtic Club.

At the meeting of the Celtic Club which will be held in the Lankershim tomorrow evening, Prof. James Main Dixon will produce history to prove that the Portuguese are of Celtic origin and that Portugal is filled with the glory of Celtic achievement. As guests of the club the presidents of the Cambro-American, the Caledonian and Hibernian societies will speak, following which there will be a programme of Scotch, Irish and Welsh songs under the direction of Prof. Theodore Irwin.

Oratorical Contest.

The tenth annual home prohibition oratorical contest of Occidental College will be held in the Hall of Letters next Friday night. The speakers will be George Morgan, Williel Thomson, Edmund Pugh and Charles List. Prizes of $15 and $10 will be awarded to the winners of first and second places, respectively. The winner of the contest will represent Occidental in the intercollegiate contest with Pomona, U.S.C. and Whittier, which will be held in April.

Dr. Talmage Travels.

Dr. Frank De Witt Talmage, who preached his farewell sermon yesterday morning at the First Presbyterian Church, bade good-by to his Pasadena friends last evening from the pulpit of First Church of that city. This morning he will leave at 10 o'clock by the Santa Fé for the Grand Cañon and next Sunday will preach two sermons in Denver. One week later he will preach at the Baptist Temple, Philadelphia; March 15 at the West End Presbyterian Church, New York, and on March, in his old home city, Brooklyn, at Theodore Cuyler's old church. He will sail on March 25 for Europe.

BREVITIES.

Sunday Real Estate Liners. Classified real estate advertisements for insertion in THE SUNDAY TIMES must be in the office not later than 10:30 o'clock Saturday night. Other "want" advertisements for Sunday insertion taken over the counter until 11:30 p.m. The great volume of liners printed in The Sunday Times, numbering regularly over 5000 separate announcements, makes this regulation absolutely necessary in order to get the big Sunday issue out on time.

The last week of Cummings Special Shoe Sale, big values. We leave 4th and Broadway, March 1.

Hamiltons' Shoe Sale at cut prices on every pair, continues today at 311 S. Broadway.

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EXCITEMENT AT BARSTOW.

Rush to Lanes Wells Imminent Because of Reported Rich Gold Strike.

BARSTOW, Feb. 23.—There has been no end of excitement here since it was reported that the Fremont group of claims, situated about twenty miles north of this township, had produced some very rich ore.

Messrs. W. W. Jones, R. A. Black, J. F. Maher and G. W. Knapp started, Wednesday morning, to try their skill at prospecting. Black, out of curiosity, went down in the Fremont mine and at a depth of forty feet picked out some ore. When this was assayed, it showed $6400 to the ton, it is said.

J. F. Maher, a mining expert, has expressed the opinion that the territory around Lanes Wells equals, if not surpasses any mining land in Nevada or California. A general rush to that section is imminent.

FORTUNE'S CHANGE.

AMERICAN BOY ENGLISH LORD.

YOUTH IS DESCENDANT OF MAN REWARDED FOR VALOR.

Is Heir to Title of England and Ireland and Possession of Vast Estates, and King Edward Has Taken Interest in Him as Claimant to Lands Held by His Cousin.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Hugh Fitzgerald Lovering, 18 years old, living at No. 49 Marlboro street, Lowell, Mass., with his widowed mother, is in reality Lord Hugh Fitzgerald Gough, a descendant of the great Hugh Gough, who long ago was made a lord for valor in war.

Soon he is to step from obscurity and comparative poverty into the international limelight, duplicating with amazing fidelity the story of Little Lord Fauntleroy. He has heretofore been known to his college chums at Tufts as plain Hughey Lovering. He is the rightful heir to the title and possession of vast estates and baronies in England and Ireland, and eligible to sit in the House of Lords.

And all that vast property and high position in the British nobility are now enjoyed by a usurper, who must, say the London barristers of the estates, resign in favor of the American born boy, the flesh and blood Little Lord Fauntleroy.

King Edward himself is declared to have taken personal interest in the proceedings to come which must place Hughey Lovering, just like his prototype in fiction, as the real Lord Gough.

A cousin of the American boy now occupies the estates in Hertfordshire, England.

He cannot, however, assume the proud title unless he can prove the Lowell boy is not the legal heir, and this he cannot do, as the mother of the American heir is in possession of complete legal proofs.

Charles Gough Lovering, father of the American claimant, came to America twenty years ago to woo fortune and win back his health. Unsuccessful in both, he, however, did woo and win a beautiful New Hampshire maid, a Miss Huntress, who lived near Tilton, and their only son is the real Little Lord Fauntleroy.

About three years ago, the noble Englishman, ill to death, confided to his lawyers in England his marriage in America, and the English lawyers, in charge of the estates and fortune, were compelled to use all possible means to locate the rightful heir and place him in possession, and now they have found him.

For weeks past the doting mother has been in communication with the London lawyers, and has positively learned that a son of a younger brother of the late Mr. Lovering has been placed in nominal possession of the estate of Hertfordshire. The descent of the American boy is clearly traced from Hugh Gough, born 1719, who was created a Viscount with minor titles for his valor and brilliant services to the crown.

NOTED ARCHITECT ILL.

Founder of Firm of Which Stanford White Was a Member, Suffers from Nervous Attack.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Charles Follen McKim, founder of the firm of architects of McKim, Mead & White, and president of the American Institute of Architects, is ill in a private sanatorium not far from New York city, just where, his family and partners will not say. He is suffering from a nervous complaint and heart affection, supposed to be the result of overwork.

Since the murder of Stanford White by Harry K. Thaw, Mr. McKim's nerves have not been the strongest. The shock of his partner's violent death appeared to leave a lasting impression on him. Then, too, the loss of Mr. White from the firm caused more work for the senior member.

For several months Mr. McKim has been under the care of Dr. Charles Hitchcock for his nervous disorder, and was able to attend to business until a fortnight ago, when, upon the advice of his physician, he sought rest and quiet in the country.

Mr. McKim is one of the most widely known architects in this country. In 1903 a gold medal was given to him by King Edward for his share in the promotion of architecture.

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VITAL RECORD — BIRTHS. DEATHS. MARRIAGES. DIVORCE.

Births.

NEILL—To the wife of James H. Neill, formerly Miss Daisy D. Davisson, on Feb. 23, a son.

Deaths.

DICKINSON—The funeral of Miss Elizabeth Dickinson will be held Tuesday, Feb. 25, at 10:30 a.m., at All Saints Episcopal Church, Pasadena.

BRUMMER—In this city, Feb. 20th, aged 39 years. Funeral services from Bresee Bros. Chapel, Tuesday, at 3 p.m.

GRAVES—In Los Angeles, John Graves, aged 42 years. Funeral from Bresee Bros. Chapel, Monday, at 10 a.m.

BERRY—At the Clara Barton Hospital, Feb. 22d, Benjamin F. Berry, aged 74 years, 6 months. Funeral from Boyle Heights funeral parlors, 1903 East First st., 2:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 24th. Interment Evergreen. Toledo papers please copy.

FULLER. In Los Angeles, February 21, 1908, Edward S. Fuller, organist Unitarian Church, aged 23 years. Remains may be seen until Monday noon at Bresee Brothers. Funeral at the Unitarian Church, Flower near Ninth street, Monday at 2 o'clock. Omit flowers. Interment at Forest Lawn Cemetery.

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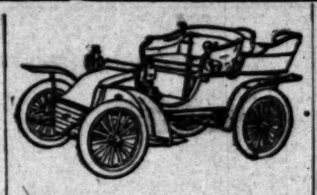

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BRIEF REPORT.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles vicinity: Fair; light north winds. For San Francisco and vicinity: Fair; light north winds.

Sunrise, 6:27; sunset, 5:46; rises 2:22 a. m. Wednesday.

YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 68 deg.; minimum, 41 deg. 8 a. m., northeast; velocity, 2 miles. 5 p. m., west; velocity, 6 miles. Midnight the temperature was 50 deg. clear.

TODAY—At 2 a. m. the temperature was 49 deg.; clear.

(The complete weather report, including comparative temperatures will be found on page 11, part II.)

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THE CITY. Gov. Toole of Montana announces resignation here....Mysterious disappearance of Mrs. Cleaveland explained....Solomon R. Ramirez murdered, fifth victim in family of tragedy....Volcanic break in Santa Monica mountains....Business hope casts off gloom....Panhandle Republicans....Three-year-old child fights for slice of large estate....New Governor of Soldiers' home tightening the lines....Few murderers and robbers tried in this county escape penalty....Contractor falls down stairway; lamp explodes; $1200 fire results....Explosion of instantaneous bathroom heater causes hot fight for bather....Former cashier of newspaper held on embezzlement charge. Officials of Home Telephone Company decline to put witnesses on the stand in Council hearing....Police sergeant non-suited in damage case against street railway company....Supervisors appropriate $3000 for entertainment of naval men....Ocean Park man, accused of illegal registration, not convicted. Looking for surprises at the hands of the Federal grand jury....Oregonians elect officers....Republicans of Second and Third wards hold rousing rallies and plan monster banquet.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Legal firm, authority on bonds, advises city of Pasadena to try again on water plant issues....."Dry" acres to bloom about Monrovia....Big shipping enterprise discussed at Redondo....Many new settlers for Ontario lands....Cousin of Gen. Merritt dies at the Soldiers' home....San Bernardino county preserves to be stocked with Hungarian grouse and wild turkeys....Orange county woman, 100 years old, still fighting....Niece of the late Dixie Thompson sues for divorce in Santa Barbara. Vexed question over Salvation Army lease in process of settlement at Redlands....Water-rate fight sizzles in Long Beach.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Body of woman, identified as Miss Henora Murphy, washed ashore at San Francisco. State Forester Lull takes a committee of State officials and newspaper men on an inspection tour through Santa Cruz Big Basin....Case of Patrick Calhoun is postponed for two weeks. Portland starts first municipal anti-trust investigation on record....Shipowners' Association hopes to induce independent lumber firms to join in the trust....Canada Natal Act is held inoperative as far as Japanese immigrants are concerned....Market street of San Francisco hopes to raise fund and reopen.

GENERAL EASTERN. Attorney-General of Oklahoma instructed by the governor to institute proceedings against Frisco and Rock Island railroads....United States soon to issue protest against Japan's conduct in Manchuria....Secretary of the Treasury calls on national banks for portion of public funds....Taking of testimony in Standard Oil case resumed yesterday....Charles W. Morse fails to appear in court to answer to the grand jury indictments against him. Judge Grosscup of the Federal Court pleases in State court to answer charges of manslaughter in connection with railroad wreck....Matteawan asylum alienists say Thaw is insane.

DR. ISAAC R. TRIMBLE DEAD.

BALTIMORE (Md.) Feb. 24.—Dr. Isaac R. Trimble, a well-known surgeon, died here last night of blood-poisoning. He was infected while performing an operation on February 10, and in spite of all precautions and several operations, his life could not be saved. Dr. Trimble was a professor of anatomy in the College of Physicians and Surgeons.